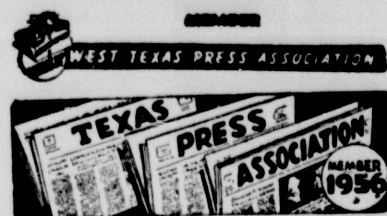


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OUR EYES PLAY A VITAL ROLE WE OVERLOOK

If the "Eyes of Texas" ever focus on you, they could create a force of more than a million horsepower—the equivalent of about 5,000 high powered modern automobiles bearing down on you. All of which proves two things: Texans are about as powerful as they have always claimed, and the eyes are very remarkable instruments.

The strength of the natives of the Lone Star State is more or less a matter of common knowledge, but the almost countless fascinating facts about the human eye are not.

For example, did you know that an ordinary pair of eyes is capable of drawing up to 25 per cent of the energy your body generates? Or that the eyes control 80 per cent of your actions and are responsible for 83 per cent of all the learning you will ever acquire?

If you've been wondering why women in your family seem to be more color conscious than you are, it's because they are simply more gifted in color perception. One man in 25 is color blind, while only one in approximately 250 women suffers from this visual affliction.

And did you know that the normal person blinks 25 times a minute? Or that good readers blink more often than slow readers?

The tiny, aspirin-sized lense in your eye changes curvature instantly to focus on objects right under your nose or hundreds of

yards away. Each eye has more than one hundred million sensitive cells which are capable of receiving an impression and these have about a million nerve fibers feeding impulses back into the brain where they are translated into color recognition.

It's logical to assume that a mechanism as delicate as this would go completely out of which at the slightest provocation. But it just isn't so. The human eye is far tougher than many other parts of the body and will stand an amazing amount of abuse without permanently losing its effectiveness.

You can't damage your eyes by using them too much. But, poor reading light, improperly fitted glasses or lack of glasses can cause eyestrain and related distresses such as indigestion, upset nerves and that all-too-familiar "run-down" feeling.

Although moderate drinking doesn't impair the eyes, alcohol does result in a marked deterioration of vision—as much as 32 per cent. Laboratory tests have proved that alcohol has the same effect on a person's vision as driving with sunglasses in twilight or darkness. When the oncoming driver refuses to lower his lights, it will take you longer—perhaps fatally longer—to recover your normal vision if you have been drinking.

Although the eyes are more rugged than most of us suppose, they still deserve the most exacting care we can give them.

Life Begins Today

Only recently a young man who had indulged in the current laxity and suffered failure in his work, contented himself with the volatile remark in the light of Walter Pitkin's interesting book, "Oh, well, life begins at forty." It is well to note that many of the world's geniuses "clicked" before they reached the age of forty.

Thomas Jefferson wrote the Declaration of Independence when he was 33.

Alexander Hamilton was a member of Congress at 25 and a member of George Washington's cabinet at 32.

Daniel Webster entered Congress at 30.

Henry Clay was appointed senator at 29, before he was of constitutional age.

Chaucer was well known at court as a poet when he was but 25.

Livy began his "History of Roman State" at the age of 24.

Moliere finished a comedy, his best, at 17.

Milton wrote "Comus," by some esteemed as one of his most charming poems, at 26.

Keats made himself immortal in English literature before his death, at 24.

Beethoven was a skilled composer at 19.

Ford started his first car while in his thirties.

Edison invented the incandescent electric light when he was only 32.

The presidents of two of our leading universities are in their thirties.

Editorial of the Week

INDIVIDUAL THINKING.

The person who does his own thinking isn't one who shuts his ears to the thinking of others. Quite the contrary. In religion he studies the doctrines of other groups as diligently as he studies his own. In politics he studies the philosophy of the other party. And he should also be informed concerning Communism and Fascism.

After he has weighed all the facts, investigated all views, and has reached his decision, then it is that he is able to withstand the propaganda which is hurled at him from all directions. He isn't tossed about with every wind of doctrine because he has built his own philosophy on sound foundation. He won't be a religious liberal today and an evangelical tomorrow. He won't embrace one political party this year and another next year.

There is no substitute for individual thinking.

RECALLING Other Years

★ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home - Town Newspaper, The Herald.

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

Among news items of 20 years ago in the Hamlin community were the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated January 15, 1937:

"Gone With the Wind," popular new novel, was reviewed by Mrs. J. P. Bohannon of Abilene as the program feature of the Parent-Teacher Association meeting last Thursday. President Mrs. B. M. Brundage presided.

Douglas Jenkins of Dovie community was painfully injured Monday night about 8:00 o'clock when the car in which he and three companions were riding crashed into a Katy Railway train on North Central Avenue. Only slightly injured were the other occupants of the car, Floyd Andrews, Shirley Ratliff and Irene Martin.

Total deposits of the Farmers & Merchants National Bank, at the close of business December 31, 1936, were \$326,626.03, according to the official statement of the bank, just released.

Voters of Stonewall County, to the north of Hamlin, voted Saturday to outlaw the sale of beer in that county. Nolan and Shackelford Counties are the only "wet" counties now in the area.

TEN YEARS AGO.

Considered newsworthy in the Hamlin community 10 years ago were the following items, reproduced from The Hamlin Herald dated January 17, 1947:

Charles Prather was a speaker at the Hamlin Lions Club Tuesday when he told of some of his experiences in Australia during his Army service in the land "down under."

"Cactus Jack" Ellison of Hamlin has been named captain of the 1947 Hardin-Simmons University Cowboy football team.

Edgar E. Duncan announces the change in name of the Duncan Food Store to Piggly Wiggly this week.

Another drive for funds for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis is underway in the Hamlin community. Mrs. V. R. Bonds is chairman of the campaign.

Anna Faye Carnes and Dawson McCoy were united in marriage last Friday afternoon at the home of Dr. Will C. House, Methodist pastor.

Lois Faye Brady, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Brady, became the bride of A. J. Perkins of Matarrita in rites repeated Christmas Eve at Lubbock.

FIVE YEARS AGO.

News items of interest in the Hamlin community five years ago included the following, which are condensed from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated January 18, 1952:

Oil leasing activity has increased in the Hamlin section in recent days, portending increased drilling action, say oil operators and others in touch with the situation.

Jack Willingham, a junior animal husbandry major from Hamlin, has been elected president of the Saddle and Sirolo Club at Texas A. & M. College.

Postal receipts at the Hamlin post office set an all-time high last year, reports Postmaster Perry Sparks, who says the total reached \$27,323.67.

Ignacio Lechuga, about 26, of near Hamlin, was arraigned before Judge Owen Thomas in 104th District Court at Anson Monday on a charge of murder in the death of Abelino Seballos at Hamlin on December 16. He pleaded not guilty, and his trial was set for February 18. He pleaded not guilty to the murder of Seballos, which was posted for the Mexican.

William Kary Jones, former section foreman for the Santa Fe Railway at Hamlin, was sentenced to die in the electric chair at Huntsville on February 26 for the murder of his 11-year-old daughter, Lela Maude, last February 27. He also admitted killing his wife.

ONE YEAR AGO.

From the files of a year ago the following news briefs are taken from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated January 13, 1956:

Jack Owen Coats, formerly of Lubbock, has recently assumed the position of planning engineer for the Celotex Corporation's plant at Hamlin.

Continued stability of the Hamlin community is reflected in the statement of the Farmers & Merchants National Bank of Hamlin for the close of business on December 31, just released. It shows deposits at \$4,761,975.45.

Jake Lawson, local gas company manager, was elected chief of the Hamlin Volunteer Fire Department at the annual business meeting Thursday night.

Best Prices for Cattle in Month Paid Monday at Brisk Fort Worth Market

Cattle and calves opened on a strong to 50 cents higher basis at Fort Worth Monday, with some high grade killing calves and top grade stocker calves 50 cents to \$1 higher, according to Ted Gould, special market reporter for The Herald, in his weekly release. The release continues: Heavy-weight fed slaughter calves were up more than \$1 in spots.

The abbreviated supplies attracted all interests into the trade actively, and cowmen and cattle feeders had the most gratifying session in more than a month.

Comparative prices: Good and choice slaughter steers and yearlings, \$16 to \$20.25; numerous loads in the \$18 to \$20 bracket, including a load of 1,126-pound fed heifers from the Exum Ranch, Company of Dalhart that topped at \$18.50. Lower grade killers sold from \$10 to \$15.

Good and choice slaughter calves netted \$15 to \$19 with some heavy weights in the \$17 to \$17.75 bracket, more than \$1 above last week's low close on that type. Lower grade slaughter calves drew \$10 to \$14.50, a few culls less. Good and choice stocker steer calves brought \$16 to \$19, heifer calves \$17 down for stockers, steer yearlings \$17.50 down.

The 4-H and FFA boys who took part in the commercial lamb feeding project just concluded market-

ed their lambs at mostly \$17 and \$17.50, which included some heavy-weight lambs which otherwise would have brought the extreme top.

Donald Dusek, winner of the contest, which was based 20 per cent on gain and 80 per cent on records, averaged a gain of .44 pound per day over weight going into the feedlot in the 111 days.

About 5,700 sheep and lambs, 99 per cent of them lambs, arrived at Fort Worth Monday. This was about 2,500 fewer than a week earlier and the trade was brisk at strong to 50 cents higher rates. Good and choice slaughter lambs sold from \$16 to \$18, the top figure for some lambs bearing fall shorn and full woolled pelts. Some choice lambs with No. 2 pelts sold from \$17.50 down, and some good recently shorn lambs drew \$16 to \$16.50. Cull, common and medium slaughter lambs sold from \$10 to \$15.

Stocker and feeder lambs sold from \$14 to \$17.50, the latter on woolled lambs, mixed freshly and fat. Old ewes drew \$5.50 to \$7, and some recently shorn mixed old ewes and bucks sold at \$5.50 straight. Slaughter yearlings drew \$10 to \$15, the top for some recently shorn, but fancy fat handy weight yearling lambs.

Normal supplies of hogs at Fort

Worth and all around the major livestock marketing circle Monday failed to faze the buyers as prices advanced 25 to 50 cents on butcher hogs. Sausage mills put enough pressure on hogs to move them up mostly a half dollar.

Choice meat hogs topped at \$18 to \$18.25, with the medium grades and medium weights from \$14 to \$1. A few pigs hit \$10 to \$12, and a few steers \$6 to \$10. Sows cashed at \$13.50 to \$13.70.

Perry Lunsford, president of the Texas Beef Cattle Improvement Association, announced from his Dallas office this week that the

annual meeting will be held at the Hilton Hotel in Fort Worth January 28.

Lunsford says the meeting is open to anyone interested. This is the group that seeks to improve quality by testing herds with a view to breeding toward heavier weaning weights, greater inherent ability to gain, etc. Though the stress is on hereditary factors in the main, any methods which also improve quality and gainability are tested, too.

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It Can Be Done—But

We frequently hear people in public life advocate tax reduction on the one hand—and huge new government spending programs on the other hand.

Actually, both proposals could be undertaken—by such expedients as an extreme "soft money" policy and by turning loose the presses that print the currency.

If that should happen, what would the results be? Secretary of the Treasury Humphrey answered with these words: "This... is the policy of deliberate inflation and must result in a return to a budget unbalanced by several billion dollars, with all of the inflationary pressures that it would create." Then we'd have more dollars in circulation, but each of them would become progressively less valuable—and if the program were carried to its logical end, would become worthless.

Poor Visibility During Winter Is Most Common Cause of Traffic Accidents

"Poor visibility is one of the most serious problems facing the motorist in winter driving!"

That was the warning issued this week by E. C. McFadden of Dallas, president of the Texas Safety Association, in connection with the state-wide campaign for safe winter driving sponsored by the Texas Safety Association.

"In addition to the hazards of skidding that winter presents to the motorist, the problem of reduced visibility can make driving

especially treacherous," McFadden said.

"Motorists must be able to see danger to avoid it," he emphasized.

"A basic requirement is that windshield wipers be in top notch condition. Summer sun or age bake the life out of rubber blades and cause them to streak the windshield," McFadden said. "When they do, they should be replaced."

"Another important precaution is to see that heaters and defrosters are working properly."

Fewer hours of daylight, rain, snow, sleet, splattered windshields, the glare of the sun on snow or ice, fog and frequent overcast all serve to reduce the distance a driver can see to a dangerous minimum, it was pointed out.

"And after a storm be sure to clean all the snow off your windshield and other windows of your car. It is also a good idea to wipe off the headlights, turn signals and tail-lights at the same time."

"Keep the inside of your windows clean and free of smoke and steam and be sure you can see through the side windows. Danger may approach from the sides or rear as well as from the front."

Statistics show that in almost one out of seven fatal accidents, the driver's vision was obscured. In two out of five of these cases, the obstruction was on the vehicle itself, such as rain, snow or sleet on the windshield.

"Keep these figures in mind," McFadden warned drivers, "and keep alert to these dangers. You couldn't drive with your eyes closed. Don't drive with your vision obstructed!"

Drive safely! An accident is usually the only winner in the race against time.



HEAD TOP COMMITTEES—Representative W. S. Heatley of Paducah (left), chairman of the state affairs committee; Representative Frates Seeligson of San Antonio (center), chairman of the revenue and tax committee, and Representative Max E. Smith of San Marcos, chairman of the appropriations committee, discuss their new jobs after appointments were made by House Speaker Waggoner Carr at the opening of the fifty-fifth Texas Legislature at Austin.

Slight Decline Shown From Previous Week By Sunday Schools

Slight decline in Sunday School attendance at the city's churches Sunday morning was recorded in comparison with the totals for the previous Sunday. The 1,272 total for January 13, however, was nearly 100 more than the year ago attendance.

Totals, by churches, for January 13, January 6 and a year ago for the 12 reporting churches of the city follow:

Churches	Jan. 13	Jan. 6	Year Ago
First Baptist	417	409	392
No. Cen. Baptist	68	88	55
Oak Gr. Col. Bap.	40	30	23
Mexican Baptist	25	38	39
Ch. of Nazarene	96	76	103
First Methodist	215	222	216
Sunset Baptist	59	73	30
Church of Christ	154	148	126
Calvary Baptist	52	52	43
United Pentecostal	—	—	—
Assembly of God	54	44	46
Foursquare Gospel	57	58	80
Faith Methodist	35	50	37

Totals.....1272 1290 1190

St. Peter's in Rome is the largest cathedral in the world.

VETERAN QUESTIONS

The questions and answers below about veteran problems are carried as a service to present and former service-connected personnel by The Herald. Material for this column is supplied by the area office of the Veterans Administration at Lubbock.

Question.—I pay my GI insurance premiums on a yearly basis. What if something should happen to me shortly after I make my yearly payment? Wouldn't my beneficiaries be entitled to a refund of the advance payment?

Answer.—Yes. The money not yet applied to your insurance coverage would be refunded to your beneficiaries at the time VA settled the insurance claim.

Q.—I am a Korea veteran receiving vocational rehabilitation training. Am I entitled to VA medical care while I am in training?

A.—Yes. You may receive medical treatment which VA determines to be necessary to prevent interruption of your training, even though the condition is not directly connected with your military service.

Q.—Is it possible to finish my

Roughage Program Extended Further by Federal Feed Agency

Roughage program for Texas has been extended in all 238 counties previously designated, including Jones, Fisher, Stonewall, Haskell, Shackelford, Taylor and Nolan, Walter T. McKay, state director of the Farmers Home Administration, announced this week. County committees in all designated counties are being advised that they may now accept applications for a supply of roughage feed to carry basic livestock through March 15, 1957.

McKay was also advised that it is the policy of the Department of Agriculture to continue the emergency feed grain and roughage programs in the drought areas as long as there is a need for these programs.

high school training under the war orphans' education program?

A.—No. The law prohibits regular high school training. Courses in schools below the college level may be taken only if they fit you for specific vocational employment.

Retirement Plan For City Workers Given Approval

Besides projecting a new curb and gutter program for the city of Hamlin, details of which are given in a separate article in today's Herald, the Hamlin City Council handled other business matters at the monthly business session held Monday night.

Retirement program for city employees, which has been under consideration for more than a year, was finally approved. Recent alterations in the state retirement compensation program now permit cities to participate in a practical retirement program for employees, said city councilmen.

The group also tentatively approved plans for replacing aged water mains on South Central Avenue south of Santa Fe Railway tracks on Highway 83. The State Highway Commission plans to curb and gutter and widen pavement for two blocks south of the tracks in a forthcoming highway improvement program this year, it was pointed out.

An ordinance was passed prohibiting the shooting of BB and pellet guns in the city limits. Con-

Freight Carloadings For Santa Fe Decline

Freight carloadings for the Santa Fe Railway System for the week ending January 5, 1957, were 19,544 compared with 21,338 for the same week in 1956, reflecting a decided decline from the year ago total. Cars received from connections totaled 9,862 compared with 10,211 for the same week in 1956.

Total cars moved were 29,406 compared with 31,549 for the same week in 1956. Santa Fe handled a total of 29,194 cars in the preceding week last year.

"No smoking in this coach, sir," said the conductor.

"I'm not smoking," answered the passenger with an injured air.

"You've got your pipe in your mouth," declared the conductor with emphasis, sharply confident.

"I have," retorted the passenger, "and I have me foot in me shoe, too, but I'm not walkin'."

considerable damage has been done by these guns in recent weeks. A fine of from \$5 to \$200 for conviction was set as penalty.

A one-way street was designated on Northwest Fourth Street, north of the Primary School building. Traffic will travel west only on this one block, it was ordained.

Celotex Delegation Attends Banquet for Jaycees at Abilene

Members of the management committee, the local union president and recording secretary of the AFL Celotex Union and their wives were guests of the Celotex Corporation at the Junior Chamber of Commerce banquet Saturday night. The gathering, held in the Rose Field House at Hardin-Simmons University, honored the five outstanding young men of Texas for 1956.

Paul Harvey, noted ABC radio commentator, was the principal speaker of the evening.

Attending from Hamlin were Messrs. and Mmes. D. W. Cowan, George Cowan, Clyde Lewis, Miller Harmon, C. V. Herbert, W. O. Brown, C. J. Rollis, L. E. Madden, G. H. Williams and S. P. Cox; Mrs. Lucille Snow, Mrs. Sue Sims and Stan Sheppard.

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Ginger Means Named Homemaker of Tomorrow in Hamlin High School

Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow in Hamlin High School is Ginger Means.

She received the highest score in a written examination on home-making knowledge and attitudes, administered December 4, to senior girls in the graduating class. Her examination paper will be entered in competition to name this state's candidate for the title of All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow and will also be considered for the runner-up award in the state. For her achievement she will receive an award pin designed by Trifari of New York.

The national winner in the third annual search conducted among 800,256 young women in 11,636 of the nation's public, private and parochial high schools will be named May 2 at the American table banquet in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York City.

General Mills is sponsor of the program designed to assist schools in education for home and family living and to emphasize through a sound scholarship award program the personal qualities and sense of values necessary to successful

homemaking. A total of \$106,000 in scholarships will be awarded.

Each state Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow will receive a \$1,500 scholarship and an educational trip with her school advisor to Washington, D. C., colonial Williamsburg, Virginia, and New York City. A \$500 scholarship will be awarded the runner-up girls in each state. The school of the state winner will receive a set of the Encyclopedia Britannica.

Scholarship of the young woman named All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow will be increased to \$5,000. This year for the first time girls who rank second, third and fourth in the national finals will receive \$4,000, \$3,000 and \$2,000 scholarships, respectively.

New Officers Named At Meeting of Hamlin Garden Club Group

Naming of officers and a program on "Roses" highlighted the meeting of the Hamlin Garden Club held last week in the home of Mrs. Edgar Duncan.

Mrs. Edgar Duncan was named the new president; Mrs. Carl Young, first vice president; Mrs. Clyde Grace, second vice president; Mrs. Eddie Jay, recording secretary; Mrs. J. P. Morgan, corresponding secretary; Mrs. R. D. Moore, treasurer; Mrs. Bowen Pope, reporter; Mrs. C. G. Green, historian; and Mrs. Ed Bailey, librarian.

The slate of new officers was presented by the nominating committee composed of Mrs. C. G. Green, Mrs. M. T. York and Mrs. J. P. Morgan. Mrs. Harold Bonner conducted the business session. "How to Grow Healthy Roses" was presented by Mrs. Gene Prewitt. In her talk she gave eight basic rules to follow to insure the growing of better and healthier roses.

"New Roses" was given by Mrs. R. D. Moore. "White Bouquet," the first white rose, "Golden Showers," everblooming and climbing roses and the Texan, a red rose, were selected as some of the new roses of 1957.

A suggestion was given to dust rose bushes with sulphur every week until weather turns warm to eliminate insects.

Next program of the Garden Club will be held in the home of Mrs. George Campbell. Special emphasis will be placed on testing the soil in the vicinity for deficiencies.

THESE WOMEN!

By d'Alessio



Food Prices Now Are Higher Than Year Ago, Agent Reviews

Food prices are higher now than a year ago, and will likely continue so through the first quarter of 1957, points out Mary Y. Newberry, county home demonstration agent.

Less pork and choice beef will be available. Prices are due to rise slightly. Poultry supplies will increase and lower prices seem likely. Farm families over the United States used an average of 20 cents of the food dollar for meats and three cents for poultry and eggs.

Dairy products (excluding butter) are expected to be plentiful with prices up a little. Farm families reported spending about 11 cents of the food dollar for dairy products while all families in the South averaged 14 cents.

Supplies of fruit will likely continue fairly adequate. Less fresh apples and grapes seem likely to be available. Pears should be plentiful. Unfavorable weather threatens the winter vegetable supply, but large supplies of processed vegetables are available. Irish potatoes are plentiful, sweet potatoes are scarce. With 10 to 11 cents of the food dollar being used for vegetables, a home garden might have appreciable cash as well as nutritive value.

Drive safely! Life is not so short that there is not time for courtesy.

Ireland was known to the ancient Romans as Hibernia.

News Notes from the Telephone Office

We certainly do appreciate the nice gifts received during Christmas.

A pink and blue shower for Mrs. James Stevens was given in the telephone lounge Monday, January 7, at 3:00 p. m. Hostesses were Virginia White, Rosa Lee Scott, Frances Boil and Oletha Waldrop.

Louise Proctor spent Friday in Abilene attending a Southwestern Bell Telephone school.

Mrs. Laverne Kirby and son, LeRoy, are in San Diego, California, this week visiting her sister, who is ill.

Visiting in the Bob Tegart home Friday evening were the Stanley Hills of Abilene.

Attending the annual credit union meeting in Abilene Friday night are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tegart, Louise Proctor and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin J. Scott.

Mrs. Clota Mae Tegart spent Tuesday in Abilene attending a chief operators' conference.

Mrs. Jo Riddle attended jury duty Monday.

Andy Anderson, wire chief, attended conference in Abilene last Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

F. E. Turner attend a special telephone equipment school last week at Fort Worth.

Prices on Clothing Will Continue to Rise In 1957, Says Agent

Prices are heading upward on some clothing items in 1957, according to Mary Y. Newberry, Jones County home demonstration agent. However, because of competition in the field, manufacturers and retailers are drifting away from across-the-board increases to pricing by item. Another hopeful note is the fact that this competition will produce a greater variety of clothing in the medium and better priced lines. More than ever before, careful shopping will help to cut clothing costs.

Competition in a price field sets the level of quality you get. At a given price the product must include one or more such features as style, fit and comfort, workmanship, strength and durability, resistance to shrinkage, color fastness, special features such as washability, crease resistance, etc. All this makes label information very important.

Directions for care should be given and carefully followed by consumers.

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"New Tablet Relieves 'Hot Flashes,' Irritation From Change-Of-Life Without Costly Shots!"

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Council Members For Camp Fire Girls Enjoy Chili Supper

Members of the Hamlin Camp Fire Girls Council met Tuesday evening at the high school cafeteria for a chili supper and business session.

Serving tables were attractively decorated with arrangements of carnations and gladiolas.

The meeting was called to order by the president, John D. Ferguson. Reports were given by the various chairmen. The treasurer, Mrs. Arlie Cassle, reported a balance of \$400.26.

Mrs. Delbert Rountree, chairman of the nominating committee, read the names of officers selected for the coming year. The slate was then elected by acclamation. W. S. Seals, president; R. L. McClung, vice president; Mrs. W. S. Seals, secretary; Mrs. Arlie Cassle, treasurer; Mrs. E. N. Jenkins, registrar; Mrs. Wilson Brannon, adult membership and nominations chairman; Mrs. James L. Fitzgerald, public relations chairman; Mrs. Dean Witt, awards chairman; Weldon Johnson, camp and maintenance chairman; J. C. Turner, house and grounds committee; Clifford Reynolds Jr., finance chairman; John Ferguson, assistant finance chairman; Mrs. Irby Weaver, group organization chairman; Mrs. George Black, community service chairman; Mrs. R. L. McClung, training chairman; Mrs. John D. Ferguson, regional representative.

The report by Mrs. E. N. Jenkins included a newly organized group of girls with 18 enrolled. This brings the total enrollment of girls in the Camp Fire organization to 101, plus 33 workers, or an overall total of 134 in the local organization.

Mrs. Wilson to Attend District B&PW Session

Mrs. E. M. Wilson will attend a district meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club representatives in Fort Worth this week-end.

Mrs. Wilson, who is a director of District 7 of B&PW Clubs, will be gone Saturday and Sunday.

MAYBE NOT WORTHY?

Think your boss is tough? Here is one that's even tougher. One of his employees crept into his office timidly one morning and said: "Sir, may I have next Tuesday off? It's my silver anniversary, and Maggie and I want to celebrate."

"Fine thing," snarled the boss. "That's what I call real devotion to your job. And I suppose I'll have to put up with this sort of thing every 25 years."

The more you lean on others the leaner your chances for success.

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Advertisement: Dog for sale. Eats anything. Fond of children.

The Great Divide is the Rocky Mountain watershed.

Sorority Group May Again Conduct City Santa Claus Project

Plans were discussed for continuing the Santa Claus project recently conducted by the Beta Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi when members of the group met in regular session in the home of Mrs. Truman Nix.

Mrs. Brad Rowland Jr., president, presided over the business session. A good report on the Santa Claus project.

Mrs. Nix, chairman of the entertainment committee, announced that Mrs. Weldon Griggs had invited the sorority to go to the Petroleum Club in Abilene for a dinner party.

Mrs. Jim Herridge gave the program on "Music Into Drama and Dance."

Next meeting of the sorority will be in the home of Mrs. Garland Preston.

RENTER CONCLUSION.
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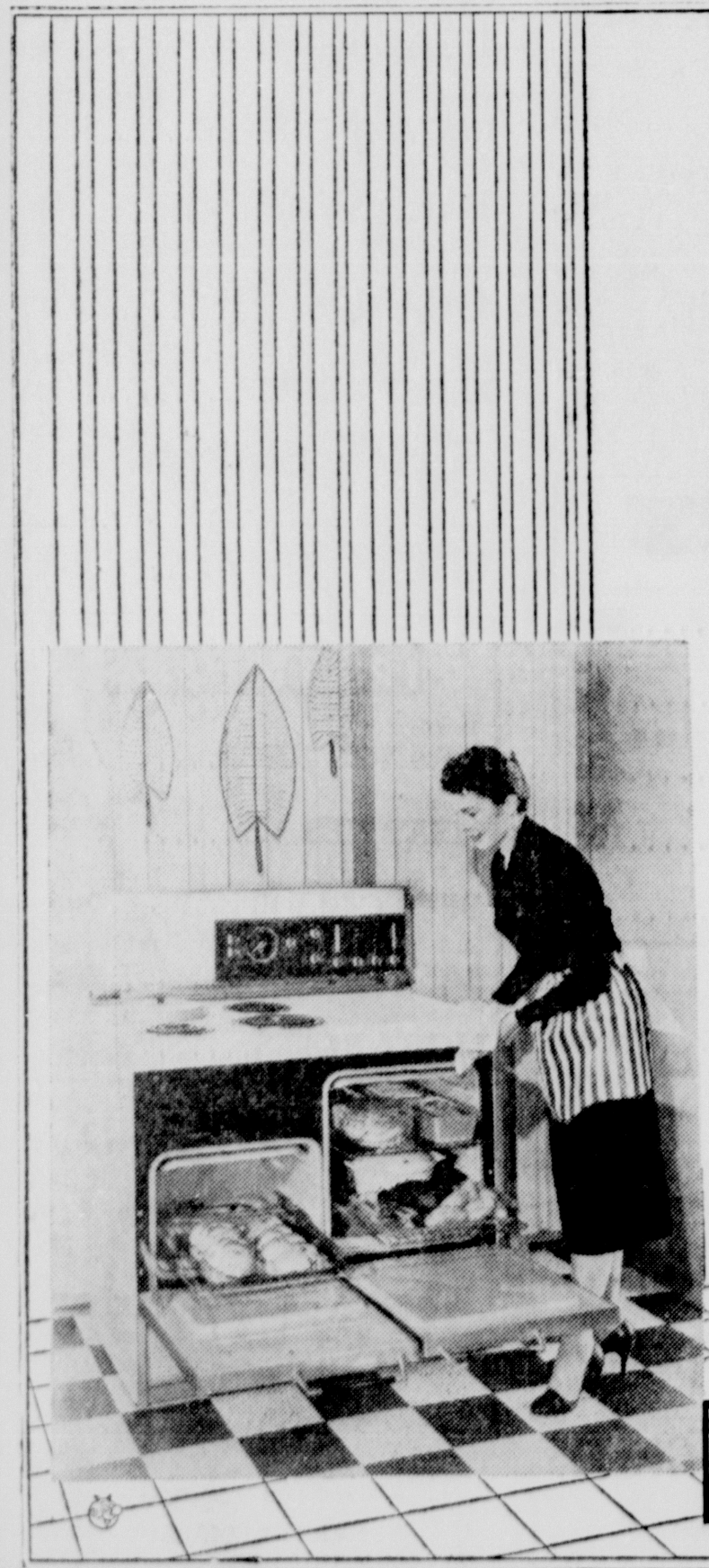
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Roger Babson Says All States Offer Advantages as Proper Place to Live

"I am interested in a Gallup poll on six questions of where to live," declares Roger W. Babson, economic analyst and advisor, who



is a regular contributor to these columns of Your Home Town Paper. His weekly release says:

I will not discuss the answers to three of these, namely: Which is the most beautiful state, or which is the healthiest, or which is the best for a winter or summer vacation. The answers to all these questions are most interesting. I, however, am not qualified to pass thereon.

Of the six questions, Gallup has given the 10 first choices. Based upon the law of averages (in which I have great faith), the following nine states appear in the answers to most of the six questions: California, Florida, Colorado, Washington, Oregon, Texas, New York, Michigan and New Mexico or Arizona.

Based upon my extensive travels and the opinions of thousands of friends, I honestly believe that every one of our 48 states possesses to some extent all the six advantages mentioned in this poll. This means to me that every reader should continue to live in the state where he is now located.

Statistics show that death rates and health conditions depend 90 per cent on the heritage and habits of us individuals and not upon where we live. The joy which we get from a vacation depends far more upon the people we meet than the scenery we see. None of the things which we really want can

History Written Close to Hamlin, Lions Club Learns

Plenty of history was written close by Hamlin, it was learned by picture and words by members and guests of the Hamlin Lions Club, meeting Tuesday at noon at the oil mill guest house.

The history, based on some little known facts gathered by Mrs. Mavis Hicks, was presented by Mmes. E. J. Hawkins, who showed colored slides, and Mrs. Gean Witt, who gave the history narrative of old Fort Reynolds, located about a century ago on the present Y-6 Ranch, northwest of Hamlin.

The narrative traced the establishment of the old Army fort on the former wide spread T Diamond Ranch that covered some 30,000 acres in three counties. The pictures showed remains of the old stone fort, graves of some of the early comers to the territory, and some scenes taken on the present Y-6 Ranch, owned by Mrs. Faye Young Morton, daughter of one of the early ranch owners.

Mrs. Witt declared that the pictures and narrative will be presented to the Texas heritage department of the Texas Federation of Women's Club for inclusion in histories of early day Texas.

President Edgar Duncan appointed a nominating committee to suggest officers for the ensuing Lions Club year beginning July 1. Named were W. S. Seals, B. V. Newberry and Joe Culbertson.

Guests at the Tuesday luncheon, besides the program principals, included Florence Harris and Jim Garrett of Sweetwater, Dr. Robert Twohy of Boston, Massachusetts, Joe Breed of Anson and Joe League Jr.

be purchased with a railroad ticket!

I, however, should be an authority on the best places to get a job. If you mean now, the answer is probably Southern California or wherever airplane plants are located. But, when the fear of World War III is over, these same sections will suffer much unemployment. In fact, directly after a previous world war, 80 per cent of the bus and taxi drivers of Los Angeles were said to be college graduates.

Wages are higher when work is plentiful in some cities, but such work is likely to fluctuate more. Statistics indicate that the total yearly "take home" wages, adjusted according to living costs, are about the same in all 48 states. Again I say that in the long run a family does not better its total income by moving. One can get more comforts in Miami, Florida, than in Bismarck, North Dakota; but I am sure the latter is a better place to bring up a family of children.

Of course, the future value of land varies with different states. Probably the best purchases for speculation are in the West Coast states and the Southern states. In making purchases of homes, however, put more money into the land rather than into the house. Well located land in any part of this wonderful country should continue to become more valuable from year to year, but any house is becoming less valuable each year unless money is constantly spent to keep it up to date.

To those who are determined to move, I suggest you consider for investment or employment a capital city of one of the 48 states. None of these 48 cities has ever defaulted on its municipal bonds. Owing to the large number employed by the various state departments, there is very little unemployment even during a depression. Due to pension systems—which most states have adopted—almost every family feels secure about its old age or the possibility of sickness. Most important of all is the fact that taxes can be collected from the entire state to support the capital city, whatever general business conditions may be elsewhere.

Cities having state universities are also to be chosen. These likewise are supported by taxes from all the state. They are rapidly growing. Your children get a college education at a low cost—as well as a good "boy or girl friend." I also like cities which have non-fluctuating but constantly growing industries. The insurance business is a good illustration. Business is always good in such cities as Hartford, Connecticut. Every state has one or more of such cities. However, your future depends upon you, rather than upon where you are located. Hence, my advice is to avoid being a "rolling stone," but make good where you now are.

VERY POLITE.

This is not the first time our country has experienced a shortage of domestic help. Once, in the early 1890s, when cooks were at a premium, a certain Washington social climber resolved to hijack one from Mrs. James G. Blaine.

Calling brazenly at the Blaine home, she asked to see the cook, and with the lure of higher wages, enticed her away.

Later at a social function the social climber was formally presented to Mrs. Blaine.

"Oh, yes," said Mrs. Blaine blandly, "I remember—you once called on my cook!"

Farmers Urged to Take Advantage of Tax Deductions

Many local farmers and ranchmen can save tax dollars by taking advantage of all allowable deductions and other credits says County Agricultural Agent Bill Lehmberg.

A new law is of particular importance this year concerning the sale of breeding, dairy or draft animals because of drought. Under certain conditions, the profit from such sales will not be taxed.

New fast depreciation methods can reduce current taxes. And, when you fail to take depreciation, that deduction is gone forever; it cannot be made up in future years. Reporting the sale of all qualifying livestock as the sale of capital assets, instead of reporting the same as ordinary income, will sharply lower tax liability.

These subjects and many others are treated in the new "1956 Farmer's Tax Guide," now available at the county agent's office. Arranged for easy finding, it explains how to handle most tax problems that farmers and ranchmen face.

Some farmers have lost money this year and will not owe any taxes. When there is no tax li-

ability some farmers in the past have tended to neglect taking all allowable deductions. This is usually a mistake, because losses can now be carried backward for two years and carried forward many as five years. Sooner or later these current losses should permit the taxpayer to either get

future tax bills.

KERRY DRAKE



I expect to pass through this world but once. Any good thing therefore, that I can do or any kindness I can show to any fellow human being let me do it now. Let me not defer nor neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again.—Stephen Grellet.

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Ideas are the stuff of which progress is made.

Things cannot always go your way. Learn to accept in silence the minor aggravations, cultivate the gift of taciturnity and consume your own smoke with an extra draught of hard work, so that those about you may not be annoyed with the dust and soot of your complaints.—Sir William Osler.

The ideal life is in our blood and never will be still. Sad will be the day for any man when he becomes contented with thoughts he is thinking and the deeds he is doing—where there is not forever beating at the doors of his soul some great desire to do something larger, which he knows that he was meant and made to do.—Phillips Brooks.

VISION SEEMS GOOD.

The lawyer was being extremely sarcastic to the witness: "You say you were 35 feet away from the scene. Just how far can you see clearly?"

"Well," said the old farmer, "when I wake up in the morning I can see the sun, and they tell me that's about 93,000,000 miles away."

Mars has started moving farther away from the earth again. Don't know as we blame it, either.

Longest non-scientific word in the English language is proa-disestablishmentarianism.

It takes as much energy to wish as it does to plan.

Protection Against Wrong Choice of Vet Benefits Available

Protection against the wrong choice of death benefits under the new survivor benefits act will be extended to widows, guardians of children and dependent parents now receiving compensation for the service connected death of veterans, Scott B. Harrington, manager of the Veterans Administration regional office in Dallas, said this week in a release to The Herald.

Every election of benefits submitted by beneficiaries under the new law will be studied to determine whether the person selected the lower instead of the higher monthly payment to which he or she may be eligible, Harrington said.

If the lower monthly payment has been selected, Harrington pointed out, no action will be taken on the election, but a letter explaining the difference between the two payments will be sent to the beneficiary.

KNOWS HIS BASEBALL.

Teacher—"Willie, can you tell me where Cleveland is?"

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Gold Medal Flour or Gladiola

10-Lb. Bag

65¢

Pure Lard For Baking or Frying

3-Lb. Ctn.

35¢

Safeway Good Buys!

Tomato Juice Taste Talk

2 46-Oz. Cans

35¢

Plain Wolf Chili Winter Treat

1 No. 2 Can

39¢

Empress Preserves Apricot, Peach, Pineapple

12-Oz. Jar

15¢

Sandwich Spread Lunch Box

32-Oz. Jar

57¢

Pinto Beans Sunny Hills

4 1-Lb. Cello

25¢

Lux Soap Regular Size

2 Bars

17¢

Lux Soap Bath Size

2 Bars

25¢

Lifebuoy Soap Regular Size

2 Bars

19¢

Lifebuoy Soap Bath Size

2 Bars

27¢

Dial Soap Regular Size

2 Bars

25¢

Palmolive Soap Regular Size

2 Bars

17¢

Palmolive Soap Bath Size

2 Bars

25¢

Edwards Coffee

1-Lb. Can

\$1.03

Edwards Coffee

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\$1.89

Peanut Butter Peter Pan Plain or Creamy

12-Oz. Jar

42¢

Kraft Salad Oil

Oil Bottle

65¢

Ballard Biscuits Sweetroll or Butterroll

2 8-Oz. Cans

25¢

Swifts Prem. Delicious for Sandwiches

12-Oz. Can

41¢

Ivory Soap Personal Size

4 Bars

23¢

Babo Cleanser For All Household Cleaning

2 14-Oz. Cans

25¢

Babo Cleanser For All Household Cleaning

2 21-Oz. Cans

35¢

Busy Baker Crackers

1-Lb. Box

27¢

Ivory Laundry Soap

4-Oz. Bar

9¢

Ivory Laundry Soap

2 10-Oz. Bars

29¢

Lux Flakes Large Size

Box

32¢

Silver Dust Blue Detergent

Giant Box

75¢

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Giant Box

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Giant Box

73¢

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22-Oz. Can

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2 Lbs.

25¢

Florida New Potatoes

Lb.

5¢

Crunchy Fresh Carrots Sweet

1-Lb. Cello

10¢

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2 Lbs.

15¢

Bulk Russet Potatoes

Lb.

8¢

Yellow Onions Pick of the Crop

Lb.

6¢

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55¢

Dry Salt Jowl Perfect for Seasoning

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15¢

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Lb.

77¢

Ground Beef Economy

Lb.

29¢

Chuck Roast Calf U.S. Gov't Graded

Lb.

79¢

Short Ribs U.S. Gov't Graded

Lb.

29¢

Veal Cutlets Fresh

Lb.

89¢

Boston Butt Pork Roast

Lb.

39¢

Pork Sausage Wings or Hot

1-Lb. Roll

35¢

Sliced Bacon Thick Northern Cured

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Nearly 300 Are Expected to Attend District Grid Feed

Tickets to Affair Continue to Move At Slow Tempo

Preparations are being made to feed between 250 and 300 Hamlin area football players and fans at the annual all-district grid banquet, to be staged Saturday night at the new Hamlin High School gymnasium, according to Bobby Crowley, president of the Hamlin Pied Piper Booster Club, sponsor of the gesture to the gridgers of District 4-AA.

Tickets to the affair, however, have been going slow, Crowley says, who points out that purchase of each ticket by a booster at \$3 pays for the banquet dinner of the purchaser and a griddle of the district.

All members of the Hamlin High grid squad, plus members of the all-district teams, their coaches and invited guests will be honored at the gathering.

All members of the Stamford High School A squad, recent winners of the state Class AA football championship will attend the affair.

Speaker of the evening will be L. E. (Dutch) Meyer, athletic director at Texas Christian University at Fort Worth. Also present will be Sammy Baugh, head football coach at Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, who also will speak briefly.

Half a fried chicken will be the portion of each attendant at the banquet, Booster Club officials advise. Mac Fullerton, director of bands at Hamlin Schools, will be master of ceremonies at the banquet.

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Sorghum Alnum Grass—the most luxuriant growing grass of the Southwest! A perennial that needs planting only once; comes out early in spring, providing grazing two to three months ahead of annual grasses; provides grazing for up to three head per acre.

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Hamlin Girls Drop Two to Colorado City

Hamlin High School A and B girls cagers played the teams from Colorado City Tuesday night in the new Hamlin gymnasium, the locals losing both tilts.

B cagers played first, and the Colorado City girls took the melee by a 24 to 11 count. High pointer for Hamlin was Louise Lakey with seven marks.

The A crew had an exciting tilt when they lost by five points, the final tally being 23 to 28. The Piperettes led at the beginning of the third quarter by two points.

High pointer for Hamlin in this game was Sandra Stuart with 16 tallies, and Eva Wallace was right behind her with nine.

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Consolation Tilts Lost by Hamlin in Hawley Tourney

Hawley defeated the Hamlin Junior High School boys by a 32 to 21 score in the opening round of the Hawley junior high invitational tournament last week-end. Wesley Cummings scored nine points for Hamlin, while Trice of Hawley walked off with high point honors with 15 points.

In the second round Hamlin outclassed Wylie by a score of 41 to 15. Cummings again was high pointer for Hamlin with 10 tallies.

In the consolation finals Elmdale defeated Hamlin by a score of 30 to 21. Wayne Boatright was the Mighty Mice's leading point producer in this tilt with seven marks.

Hamlin's girls lost a heart-breaker to Elmdale in the opening round by a 23 to 22 score. The locals went into the final quarter trailing by seven points and finally wrestled the lead away with one minute to play, only to eventually lose. Nina Jean and Myra Siburt each made seven points for Hamlin.

In the second round the Hamlin girls out-defensed Baird by a score of 6 to 2. Clyde defeated Hamlin in the consolation finals by a 23 to 17 count. Myra Siburt dropped in six points in the last melee. Janice Ueckert of Hamlin was chosen on the all-tournament team as a guard.

Girls Win, Boys Lose In Anson Cage Tilts

Hamlin Junior High School's cage teams returned two practice games with Anson teams Wednesday afternoon of last week, the girls winning and the boys losing.

The Hamlin girls' victory was an upset, they taking the tilt by a 22 to 19 count. Nina Jean scored 11 points for game honors.

Anson boys downed the Mighty Mice by a 35 to 21 score. Cummings scored nine points and Michael Bond tallied eight to lead the local lads.



HIGH FLYING SKIRT—Stiff north winds that ushered in a cold front in Wichita Falls and the rest of the Central West Texas area including Hamlin, sent the young lady's skirt flying. The temperature dropped 39 degrees in an hour as 35-mile-per-hour winds and dust accompanied the cold front.

Pied Pipers Open District Basketball Race with 30 to 46 Loss to Seymour

Hamlin Pied Piper cagers opened their District 4-AA basketball season last Tuesday night by losing their first conference tilt when they invaded the Seymour camp.

Score of the A team game was 30 to 46. Billy Ryan led the scoring for the evening, dropping 14 points in the basket. Dee Prewitt was high pointer for the Pipers with seven, being followed by Bill Murrif and Don Adair, who each looped six.

Box score on the A tilt follows:

Hamlin—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Bill Murrif, f.	1	4	6
Dee Prewitt, c.	2	3	7
Don Drummond, f.	1	3	5
John Richey, g.	0	4	4
Davey Weaver, g.	1	0	2
Don Adair, f.	2	2	6
Totals	7	16	30

Seymour—

Seymour—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Billy Ryan, f.	7	0	14
Danny Ryan, f.	4	0	8
Martin, c.	1	0	2
Plummer, g.	2	0	4
Moss, g.	1	2	4
Winn, f.	4	0	8
Styles, g.	2	1	5
Totals	21	4	46

In the B encounter the junior Pipers defeated Seymour by a 30 to 24 count. B. Perryman

DePriest Cagers Win Two from Woodson

Cagers from Hamlin's DePriest Colored School swept two basketball games from the Woodson High School teams of Abilene Tuesday night.

The Hamlin Steers won the boys' game by a 65 to 56 score, with L. Brown and F. Thompson dropping 18 points apiece through the loop for the locals. Charles Gilmore scored 12 points for the Woodson Rams, with M. L. Horn adding 10.

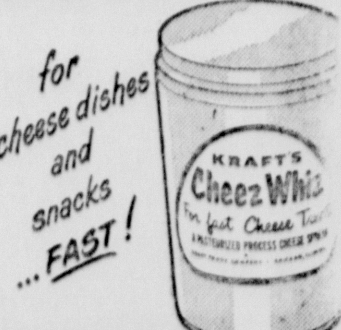
Hamlin took the girls' game by a 34 to 22 count as L. Haley sank 14 points for Hamlin and Shirley White scored 10 for Woodson.

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Hamlin Teams Lose Double Bill to ACC Basketballers

Hamlin High School A and B cagers lost both ends of a double bill with the Abilene Christian College High School basketballers in games played Thursday night on the floor of the new high school gymnasium here.

The Pied Piper B crew lost their curtain raising game by a 32 to 47 count. McConn of the ACC B crew went wild to rack up 17 points and lead the scoring. Charles Jenkins was high pointer for Hamlin with 10 marks.

Box score on the game follows:

Hamlin B—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
L. Foster, f.	2	1	5
B. Perryman, f.	1	0	2
C. Jenkins, c.	4	2	10
T. Bond, c.	2	2	6
H. Martin, g.	2	0	4
T. Bogle, g.	1	0	2
T. Shields, g.	1	0	2
Totals	13	6	32

ACC B—

ACC B—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Beatty, f.	4	0	8
Verett, f.	7	3	17
McConn, c.	0	3	3
Cook, g.	0	4	12
Blosser, g.	0	0	0
Fanning, f.	0	0	0
McCoucher, f.	0	0	0
Curry, g.	0	0	0
Totals	18	11	47

In the second game of the evening the A stringers dropped their encounter to ACC by a 35 to 54 score. R. Pollard dominated the scoring for ACC, looping 27 points or half of the total. Don Adair was high pointer for Hamlin with 12. Ed Shields sacking eight tallies.

Box score on the game follows:

Hamlin—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Ed Shields, f.	3	2	8
Don Drummond, f.	0	1	1
Dee Prewitt, c.	1	3	5
John Richey, g.	1	1	3
Davey Weaver, g.	0	4	4
Don Adair, g.	3	6	12
Don Rose, f.	1	0	2
Totals	10	15	35

ACC H. S.—

ACC H. S.—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
R. Beatty, f.	3	1	7
G. Verett, f.	1	3	5
R. Pollard, f.	8	11	27
J. Decker, c.	2	3	7
L. Smith, g.	1	3	5
Totals	15	24	54

Pied Pipers Defeat Albany Lions 54 to 42 In Friday Encounter

Albany High School's Lions fell victim to the Pied Piper basketballers of Hamlin Friday night in a tilt played on the new home gym floor. Final score was 54 to 42. Don Adair easily led the Pipers in 20 points during the encounter, and Dee Prewitt bucketed 10. High pointer for Albany was Jerry Atwell, who looped 15 points.

Box score on the game follows:

Hamlin—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Ed Shields, f.	3	0	6
Bill Murrif, f.	2	1	5
Don Drummond, f.	0	0	0
Dee Prewitt, c.	5	0	10
John Richey, g.	3	3	7
Davey Weaver, g.	3	0	6
Don Adair, g.	9	2	20
Totals	24	6	54

Albany—

Albany—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Ralph Boling, f.	4	0	8
Jerry Atwell, f.	5	5	15
C.	0	0	0
K. Zenkner, c.	1	1	3
Glenn Macon, g.	0	2	2
James Woodward, g.	0	2	2
Jack Eubanks, g.	3	2	8
Totals	16	10	42

WHAT'S THE DATE?

A certain train had been late every day for years. But one day it rolled into the station exactly on the dot. The surprised and pleased passenger got together and made up a handsome purse for the engineer and presented it to him with an eloquent speech, commending him for being on time at last. The engineer refused the purse sadly, saying, "Gentlemen, it breaks my heart to refuse this, for I need the money, but this here is yesterday's train."

Hamlin—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Blosser, g.	0	1	1
Cook, g.	0	1	1
Gene Wilkins, g.	0	1	1
Totals	15	24	54

Junior High Teams Win Two, Lose One Monday with Merkel

Hamlin Junior High School basketball teams won two games and dropped one when they went to Merkel Monday night.

Hamlin girls outscored Merkel 33 to 11. Londa Cavitt dropped in eight points for high point honors. The victory leaves Hamlin in a deadlock for first place in the conference with Anson.

The Hamlin Mighty Mice were outscored by Merkel, 30 to 20. Jerald McCanlies was Hamlin's high scorer with eight points. Bible of Merkel was the game's high pointer with 12 marks.

Hamlin seventh graders won their first game of the year after dropping their initial tilt last week to Albany. Jerry Duncan picked up eight points for the locals as Hamlin won by an 18 to 13 count.

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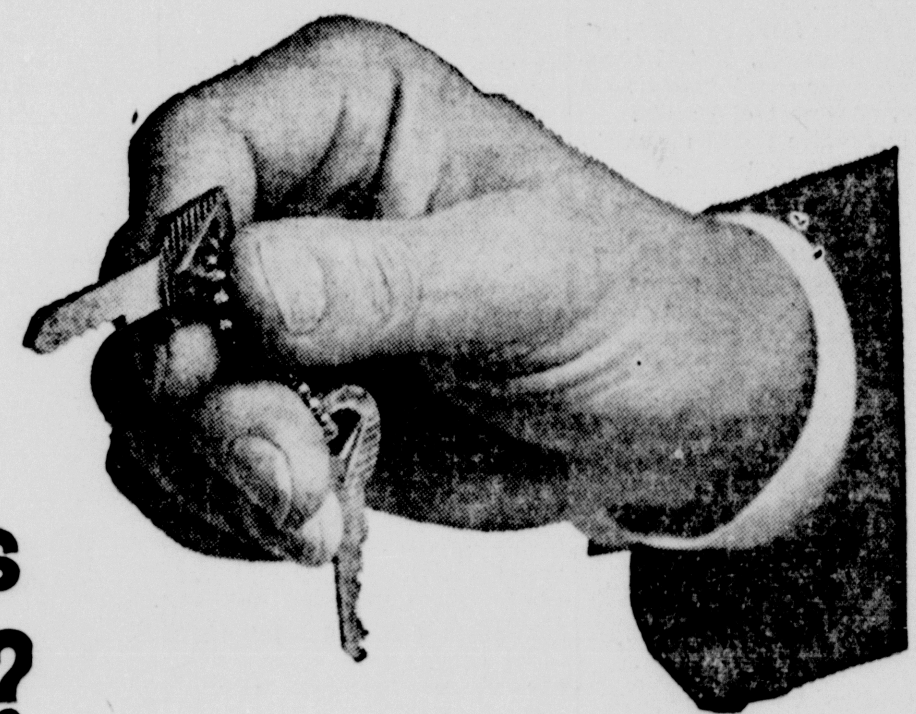
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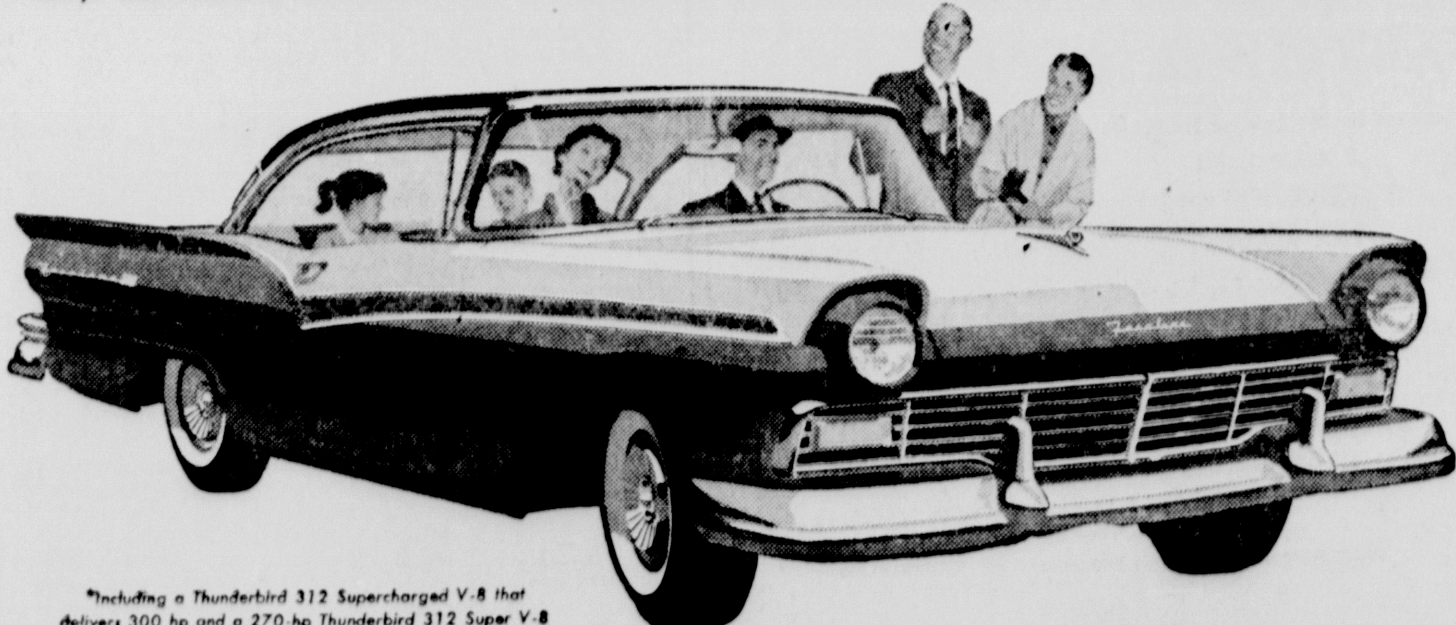
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Patients admitted to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald have included: Mrs. Gerald Renfro, surgery, January 3; Mrs. Terry Haight, surgery, January 4; Diane Crowley, surgery, January 4; Mrs. Roy Galloway of Aspermont, surgery, January 3; Mrs. John O'Neal, surgery, January 4; Mrs. Josephine Black, medical, January 4; Gene Murff, medical, January 4; Mrs. Troy Austin, medical, January 4; Mrs. Marvin Lott of Aspermont, ob., January 4; Pete Medina, surgery, January 4; Mrs. Ira Green, medical, January 4; Mrs. G. Y. Potter, medical, January 5; Bill Matchett, medical, December 31; John Ferguson, surgery, January 6; Mrs. G. M. Bond, medical, January 5; Mary Lou Ellison, medical, January 6; Mrs. J. E. Wiggins, ob., January 6; Richie Smith, medical, January 8; Jeff Yarborough of Swenson, surgery, January 7; Charlotte Burleson, medical, January 7; Mrs. Harry Gipson of Aspermont, ob., January 8; Dorothy Nell Self of Sylvester, medical, January 8; Mrs. R. L. McClung, medical, January 8; Mrs. J. N. Hubbard, medical, January 9; Rita Coker, medical, January 9; William Cranford Jr., medical, January 9; Betty Jean Perry, medical, January 9; Mrs. Felix Marentes Sr., ob., January 10; Mrs. Billy Joe Jordan, medical, January 10; E. A. Hewitt, medical, January 10; Mrs. Rose Patterson, medical, January 10; Mrs. Roy Carmichael, January 11; Mrs. Benson Payne, medical, January 11; G. C. Ad-

cock, medical, January 12; Kenneth Wigginton, medical, January 11; Roberta Cooper of Rotan, medical, January 12; Betty Sue Burleson, medical, January 12; Randall Crouch, medical, January 12; Dr. Joe McCrary, medical, January 11; Willard Burk, surgery, January 11; Mrs. Ray Ulmer, medical, January 11; George Raney, medical, January 12; DeGwen Sanderlin, medical, January 12; D. A. Mullins, medical, January 12; Buddy Williams of Sylvester, surgery, January 12; Mrs. W. D. Bristow, surgery, January 14; Randy Trammell of Aspermont, medical, January 13; Ritzy Ann Stevenson of Sylvester, medical, January 14.

Patients Dismissed—Mrs. James Ray Terhune of Nashville, Tennessee, January 4; James Ray Terhune of Nashville, Tennessee, January 4; Mrs. Joe Murff, January 4; Mrs. J. H. Lightfoot of Royston, January 4; Mrs. M. L. Criswell of Aspermont, January 2; Mrs. J. W. Stapler, January 2; Hill Smith, January 2; Aretta Belle Bolden, January 3; C. P. Chestine, January 1; W. H. Cranford, January 4; Mrs. J. H. Ray of Aspermont, January 4; Mrs. L. B. Holden, January 2; Mrs. Douglas Woolf, January 3; Mrs. Nora Hopper, January 4; Milton Webb, January 7; Mrs. R. C. Ritchey, January 5; H. L. Tudor, January 1; Dianne Crowley, January 5; Mrs. Troy Austin, January 4; Bill Matchett, January 5; Mary Lou Ellison, January 8; Mrs. Marvin Lott of Aspermont, January 8; Mrs. I. M.



LEGISLATURE OPENS—Members of the House of Representatives, including LeMoyné Kelly of Alton of the 85th District of which Jones County is a part, take the oath of office in the House chamber as the fifty-fifth Legislature opened in Austin.

Hamlin and Anson Girls Play for Lead

Hamlin and Anson girls' teams will do battle for first place in the conference next Monday evening at 7:00 o'clock when Hamlin Junior High School basketball teams play host to the cagers from the county seat.

Seventh grade boys open the evening's activities at 6:00 o'clock while the eighth grade boys play at 8:00 p. m.

Both girls' teams are undefeated in conference play, while the Anson boys are undefeated and the Hamlin boys have one-and-one record.

Roberts of Sylvester, January 7; I. M. Roberts of Sylvester, January 6; Mrs. Gerald Renfro, January 10; Mrs. Terry Haight, January 11; Mrs. John O'Neal, January 12; Mrs. Josephine Black, January 9; John Ferguson, January 11; Mrs. G. M. Bond, January 13; Mrs. J. E. Wiggins, January 10; Richie Smith, January 8; Jeff Yarborough of Aspermont, January 9; Charlotte Burleson, January 12; Mrs. Harry Gipson of Aspermont, January 11; Dorothy Nell Self of Sylvester, January 12; Mrs. J. N. Hubbard, January 10; Rita Coker, January 13; William Cranford Jr., January 12; Mrs. Felix Marentes Sr., January 12; E. A. Hewitt, January 12; Kenneth Wigginton, January 13; Betty Sue Burleson, January 13; Randall Crouch, January 14; Dr. Joe McCrary, January 12.

Curly Haynes Heads Pied Piper Boosters

R. E. (Curly) Haynes was elected president of the Hamlin Pied Piper Booster Club in its annual business meeting, held Monday evening at the oil mill guest house. He succeeds Bobby Crowley.

Other officers named at the business session of the booster group were: L. E. (Gene) Prewitt, vice president; John Steele, secretary; and Gerald Young, reporter. Directors named were C. L. Howard, Duane Stalcup, Bobby Crowley and Jack Russell.

The club group made final plans for the all-district football banquet, to be staged Saturday night at the new high school gymnasium.

Hamlin Teams Play Hobbs at McCaulley

Opening games in the McCaulley Junior High School basketball tournament find McCaulley taking on both the boys' and girls' teams from Lueders this (Thursday) evening. The games will continue through Saturday.

Hamlin girls will play Hobbs in the tournament Friday evening at 6:00 o'clock, and at 7:00 p. m. the Hamlin boys engage the Hobbs boys in a first round game.

Teams entered in the tournament are from McCaulley, Hobbs, Anson, Lueders, Roby, Albany, Highland and Hamlin.

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Jack Downey Taking Electronics in Navy

Jack H. Downey, Navy airman, has returned to the Basic Aviation Electronics Technician School at the Naval Technical Training Center at Memphis, Tennessee, after spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Downey of Route 3, Hamlin.

Young Downey is taking the specialist course following his basic training at San Diego, California.

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Willie—"Yes, if it was yours, I would, too."

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FARM FOR SALE—228 acres, nine miles south of Hamlin; half mile of flowing oil wells; 200 in cultivation.—Mrs. E. R. Hamlin, 1606 Tucson, phone AM 4-8964, Big Spring, Texas. 11-4c

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During our recent sorrow in the passing of our loved one, John Thomas Cunningham, we were made to more appreciate our good friends, who ministered in so many ways with acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy and flowers. We shall not forget these manifestations of friendship and love. That you may have just such good friends near you when sorrow is your lot is the prayer of the family of J. T. Cunningham. 1p

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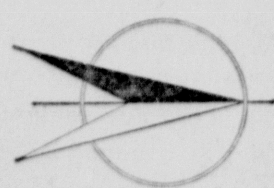
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We are so grateful for the many expressions of concern by friends during the recent illness and operation of Mrs. O'Neal. The flowers, gifts and cards were appreciated. We want to thank the doctors, nurses and hospital staff for their attention.—Mr. and Mrs. John M. O'Neal of O'Neal's Laundry. 1c



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Funeral Rites for J. T. Cunningham Conducted Friday

Funeral services for a retired grocery merchant of Roby, John Thomas Cunningham, were conducted Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Hamlin First Baptist Church. Rev. Calvin Bailey, pastor, assisted by Rev. Darris L. Egger, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiated.

The 80-year-old man, who had made his home in Hamlin the last six years, died at the family residence, 136 North Central Avenue, Thursday afternoon. He had been ill for about five years.

Born October 20, 1876, in Lampasas County, he was the son of J. T. and Sarah Cunningham. He married the former Virginia Clay in Mason County on December 15, 1907. The couple came to West Texas many years ago, and he operated a grocery store in Roby until a few years ago, when he retired. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Burial was in the Hamlin East Cemetery under the direction of Hamlin Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Edgar Duncan, Johnny Hines, W. R. Townsend, L. B. Baker, Ira Clements and J. C. Turner Jr.

Surviving the octogenarian are his wife, Mrs. Virginia Cunningham; one son, Lucie J. Cunningham, Mrs. Elmer (Arlis) Hawkins of Hamlin; two brothers, Will Cunningham of Fredonia and Joe Cunningham of Brady; one sister, Mrs. Jim Johnston of Jayton; six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

The only walled city of North America is at Quebec, Canada.

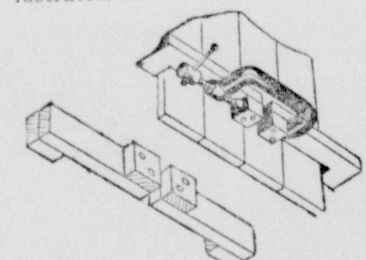
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WHEN the home workshop operator needs bar clamps but has only C-clamps, he can quickly put together improvised wooden extensions which will allow him to use ones he has available, according to *Popular Mechanics*.

The extensions may be made in either of the two ways illustrated. In the upper view is a



type consisting of L-shaped wooden hooks. C-clamps are applied to wood blocks nailed to the sides of the straight ends.

The second type, shown below, is made from straight pieces of stock with blocks nailed on the opposite sides at the ends. Either type can be kept on hand for future use.

New Grain Sorghum Hybrids Available

Seven grain sorghum hybrids, developed cooperatively by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the U. S. Department of Agriculture, will be available to farmers for planting in 1957.

These hybrids are the result of research work which began in 1921 and are the first practical hybrids to be released from these studies. They are RS 590, Texas 601, RS 610, Texas 611, Texas 620, RS 650 and Texas 660.

F. & M. Bank Adds Two Directors at Annual Meeting

Officers of the Farmers and Merchants National Bank of Hamlin reported a good business during 1956, considering the drouth conditions, when stockholders of the institution met Tuesday of last week in annual business session.

Stockholders elected the following directors: J. B. Davenport, W. J. Bryant, Lennie Greenway, W. C. Russell, Earl E. Smith, Tate May and W. T. Johnson. They voted to increase the number of directors from five to seven, and Earl E. Smith and W. T. Johnson were the new directors added to the board.

Following the stockholders' session, the directors met and elected the following officers and employees: Tate May, president; W. C. Russell, active vice president; Lennie Greenway, vice president and cashier; Earl E. Smith, vice president; W. T. Johnson, vice president; Buna Rountree, assistant cashier; Joe E. Ford, assistant cashier; Faye Atkinson, secretary; Lillie Yates, teller; Jo Ann Johnson Ford, IBM operator; LaFoy Patterson, manager bookkeeping department; Marvane Newberry, bookkeeper; Etile Lee Bunkley Jones, bookkeeper; Joyce Bingham Cary, bookkeeper.

Earl E. Smith was born in Hamlin in 1924, attended schools in Hamlin and after graduating from high school began working for the bank in January, 1942. During World War II he was in the U. S. Air Force. Upon his return from service he returned to the bank. He has served the bank as bookkeeper, teller, assistant cashier and was elected vice president in January, 1954, and is now an active loan officer. Earl is married, has one daughter, Mary Louise, 15 years of age, and one son, George, 10 years of age. Earl is an active member of the First Baptist Church, member of the Rotary Club and a member of the City Planning Board. At the present time he is a senior in the School of Banking of the South at Louisiana State University, and will graduate the summer term, 1957.

W. T. Johnson is a native of Hamlin, attended Hamlin High School and upon graduating attended Louisiana State University at Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, and was graduated from Hardin-Simmons in 1951 with a

Funeral Home to Give MOD Ambulance Fee

Hamlin Funeral Home in Hamlin will contribute receipts from two days of ambulance service to the Jones County March of Dimes, H. J. Zeigler of Fort Worth, president of the Texas Funeral Directors and Embalmers Association, announced this week.

Donations of receipts collected on January 18 and 19 was approved unanimously by the board of directors of the association, Edward A. McGuire of Beaumont, executive secretary of the association said, and most association members will participate.

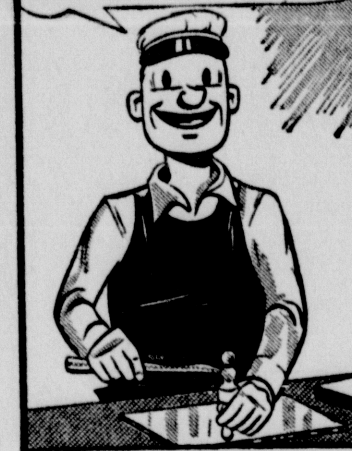
The English Channel lies between Great Britain and France.

If you can't look on the bright side of trouble, keep it in the dark.

bachelor of business administration degree. During World War II W. T. served in finance, with the fiscal office of the Eighth Army headquarters. He worked for the bank some prior to entering military service. Upon his return he was engaged in farming and elevator business with his father-in-law, L. H. McBride. He was employed in 1951 by the bank as assistant cashier and is now vice president, serving in the loan department. W. T. is an active member of the First Methodist Church, a member and past president of the Lions Club, and member of other civic organizations of the city. He is married, has one daughter and two sons.

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Claim Only Income Tax Paid in Returns, Tax Man Sam Says

Most of us have our income tax withheld from our salaries by our employers during the year and like it that way, points out Tax Man Sam in a release to The Herald. Some of us, however, pay income tax through quarterly payments.

Folks who pay their income tax through quarterly payments often make a very common error. In filing their tax return, they claim to have paid four quarterly payments on their tax when actually have paid only three payments and are filing their tax returns and paying the tax instead of making the fourth payment.

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The prospective buyer for a new home commented to the builder: "These walls certainly don't look very sturdy."

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January River is the English meaning of Rio de Janeiro.

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the tax you have paid, Sam advises.

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Notice of Hearing on Petition to Issue Bonds of Road District No. 1 of County

The State of Texas, County of Jones:

To the resident qualified electors of Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, who own taxable property in said district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation:

Take notice that a hearing will be had at the courthouse in the City of Anson, Texas, on a petition to the Commissioners Court on the proposition of issuing the bonds of Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, in the principal sum of \$60,000.00, as more particularly set out in the order fixing the hearing as follows:

AN ORDER
Fixing the time and place of hearing on the petition for the issuance of bonds by Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas.

Whereas, there came on to be considered at their meeting of J. S. Inzer, and more than 50 other persons, representing themselves to be resident, qualified electors of Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, who own taxable property in said district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, praying that this court order an election in Road District No. 1 of Jones County to determine:

"Whether or not the bonds of said Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, shall be issue in an amount not to exceed \$60,000.00, bearing interest at the rate not to exceed four (4%) per cent per annum, and maturing at such time as may be fixed by the Commissioners Court serially or otherwise in not to exceed fifteen (15) years from the date thereof for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof throughout Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, including particularly the purchase of right-of-way, and whether or not taxes shall be levied annually on all taxable property in said Road District sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at their maturities."

Whereas, it appears to the Court and is so adjudged that said petition is signed by the required number of qualified electors who own taxable property in Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation; and

Whereas, said Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, was heretofore created by order of the Commissioners Court, duly entered on the 1st day of April, 1924, which order is of record in the minutes of the Commissioners Court in volume 7 on page 239:

Be it ordered by the Commissioners Court of Jones County, Texas:

1. That a hearing shall be had by this court at the courthouse in the City of Anson, Texas, on said petition on the 25th day of January, 1957, which date is not less than 15 days nor more than 30 days from the date of this order.

2. The clerk of said court shall forthwith issue a notice of time and place of hearing which notice shall inform all persons concerned of the time and place of hearing and of their right to appear at such hearing and contend for or against the ordering of such bond election.

3. That said notice shall state the amount of bonds proposed to be issued and shall describe the district by its number and shall describe the describe the boundaries thereof as contained in the order establishing the district.

4. The clerk shall execute said notice, posting true copies thereof at those public places within said Road District No. 1 of Jones County, and one at the courthouse of the county. Said notice shall be posted at least 10 days prior to the date of hearing. Said notice shall also be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the district if a newspaper is published therein, one time, and at least five days prior to such hearing. If no newspaper is published in such district then such notice shall be published in some newspaper in the county if there be one. The duties herein imposed on the clerk may be performed by the clerk in person or by a deputy.

5. Said hearing shall be conducted under the provisions of Chapter 16, Acts of the first called session of the Thirty-Ninth Legislature.

6. The metes and bounds of Road District No. 1 of Jones County, as created by the Commissioners Court on the 1st day of April, 1924, are as follows, to-wit:

Beginning in said Jones County, Texas, at a point in the west boundary line of said Jones County, Texas, where the north boundary line of League No. 335 intersects said county line, and thence in a northeasterly direction and along the north boundary line of said League No. 335 to the northeast corner of said League No. 335.

Thence in a northeasterly direction and with the east line of League No. 336 in the name of McMullen and McGloin to the north

west corner of Survey No. 8 of the G. H. & H. Railway Company land;

Thence east with the north boundary line of said survey No. 8 to the southwest corner of Survey No. 7 of the G. H. & H. Railway Company land;

Thence north with the west boundary line of said Survey No. 7 to its north corner; Thence east along the north boundary line of said Section No. 7 to its northeast corner continuing east along the north lines of Sections Nos. 95, 74, 65, 46 and 37 of the B. B. & C. Railway Company lands and to the northeast corner of said Section No. 37;

Thence south with the east boundary line of said Section No. 37, B. B. & C. Railway Company lands to its southeast corner, continuing south along the east boundary line of Section No. 38 of the B. B. & C. Railway Company land to a point in said line and same being the southwest corner of Section No. 13 in Block No. 4 of the H. & T. C. Railway Company land;

Thence east along the south boundary line of said Section No. 13 to the southeast corner of said Section No. 13 and the northeast corner of Section No. 14 of the H. & T. C. Railway Company land, Block No. 4;

Thence north along the east boundary line of said Section No. 13 to a point in said line, the same being the southwest corner of the J. M. Long Survey No. 3;

Thence east along the south boundary line of said J. M. Long Survey No. 3 to a point in the west boundary line of Section No. 34 of the Deaf and Dumb Asylum lands, the same being the southeast corner of said J. M. Long Survey;

Thence south along the west boundary line of said Section No. 34 of the Deaf and Dumb Asylum lands to the southwest corner of said Section No. 34, and the northeast corner of Section No. 51 of the said Deaf and Dumb Asylum lands;

Thence east along the north boundary line of Sections Nos. 51, 50, 59, 58, 57, 43, 45, 44 and 43 of the said Deaf and Dumb Asylum lands and to the northeast corner of said Section No. 43;

Thence south along the east boundary line of said Section No. 43 to its southeast corner and the northeast corner of Section No. 5 of the Deaf and Dumb Asylum lands continuing along the east boundary line of said Section No. 5 to the southwest corner of Section No. 21 of the H. & T. C. Railway Company land;

Thence east along the south line of said Section No. 21 passing the northwest corner of Survey No. 8 in the name of Rufus Grimes and continuing east line of said Rufus Grimes Survey No. 8 to its northeast corner;

Thence south along the east boundary line of said Survey No. 8 Rufus Grimes to its uppermost southeast corner, and same being its most easterly southeast corner and the southwest corner of Survey No. 7 in the name of Mrs. L. Matthews (Louisa Matthews);

Thence east along the south boundary line of the Louisa Matthews Survey No. 7 to its southeast corner and the northeast corner of Mrs. F. M. Smythe Survey No. 3;

Thence south along the east line of said Survey No. 3 in the name of Mrs. F. M. Smythe, and Section No. 2 in the name of Elizabeth C. Miller to a point in said Miller Survey No. 2 opposite and directly west of the southwest corner of the Napoleon Scott Survey No. 15;

Thence east across the C. & M. Railway Company Survey No. 1 to the southwest corner of said Scott Survey No. 15, continuing east and along the south boundary line of said Survey No. 15, and the line of said Survey No. 14 in the name of William Smith to a point on said line, the same being the corner southwest corner of Survey No. 214 of the E. T. Railway Company land;

Thence north with the west boundary line of said Survey No. 214 to its northwest corner;

Thence east along the north boundary line of said Survey No. 214 to the east boundary line of Jones County, Texas;

Thence north with the east boundary line of Jones County, Texas, and the west boundary line of Shackelford County, Texas, to the northeast corner of said Jones County, Texas;

Thence west with the north boundary line of Jones County, Texas, to the northwest corner of said Jones County;

Thence south with the west boundary line of Jones County, Texas, to the place of beginning, it being the intention to include in the boundaries of this district all of that part of Jones County, Texas, lying north of the north boundary line of Road District No. 18-B, Jones County, Texas, and the north boundary line of said Road District No. 18-B shall be the south boundary line of this district.

Read and approved this the 9th day of January, 1957.—H. G. Andrews Jr., County Judge, Jones County, Texas, Attest: Gene Springer Jr., County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court, Jones County, Texas.

Charter No. 12700 Reserve District No. 11

Farmers & Merchants National Bank of Hamlin, Texas

At the close of business on December 31, 1956, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection.....	\$1,233,228.45
United States government obligations, direct and guaranteed.....	1,526,579.14
Obligations of states and political subdivisions.....	261,526.82
Other bonds, notes and debentures.....	224,375.00
Corporate stocks (including \$5,000,000 stock of Federal Reserve Bank).....	6,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$9,462.52 overdrafts).....	1,665,482.77
Bank premises owned.....	\$15,200.00
Furniture and fixtures.....	14,000.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises.....	3,023.42
Other assets.....	12,892.59
Total assets.....	\$4,962,308.19

LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations.....	\$4,013,628.59
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations.....	95,542.61
Deposits of United States government (including postal savings).....	65,867.83
Deposits of states and political subdivisions.....	414,711.30
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks etc.).....	25,011.72
Total deposits.....	\$4,614,862.05
Total liabilities.....	\$4,614,862.05

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital stock.....	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus.....	100,000.00
Undivided profits.....	140,487.59
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock).....	6,958.55
Total capital accounts.....	347,446.14
Total liabilities and capital accounts.....	4,962,308.19

MEMORANDA	
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes.....	\$ 526,000.00
Loans to farmers directly guaranteed and redeemable on demand by the Commodity Credit Corporation, and certificates of interest representing ownership thereof.....	303,132.96
Real estate loans insured under Titles II, VI and VIII of the National Housing Act.....	32,800.00
Federal Housing Administration Title I repair and modernization installment loans, to the extent covered by insurance reserves.....	34,160.00

Total amount of loans, certificates of interest and obligations or portions thereof which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States government (other than "United States government obligations, direct and guaranteed")..... 896,092.96

I, Lennie Greenway, vice president and cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.—Lennie Greenway, Vice President and Cashier.

Correct—Attest: W. C. Russell, Tate May, J. B. Davenport, Directors.

State of Texas, County of Jones: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of January, 1957, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.—J. C. Turner, Notary Public, Jones County, Texas. (My commission expires June 1, 1957).

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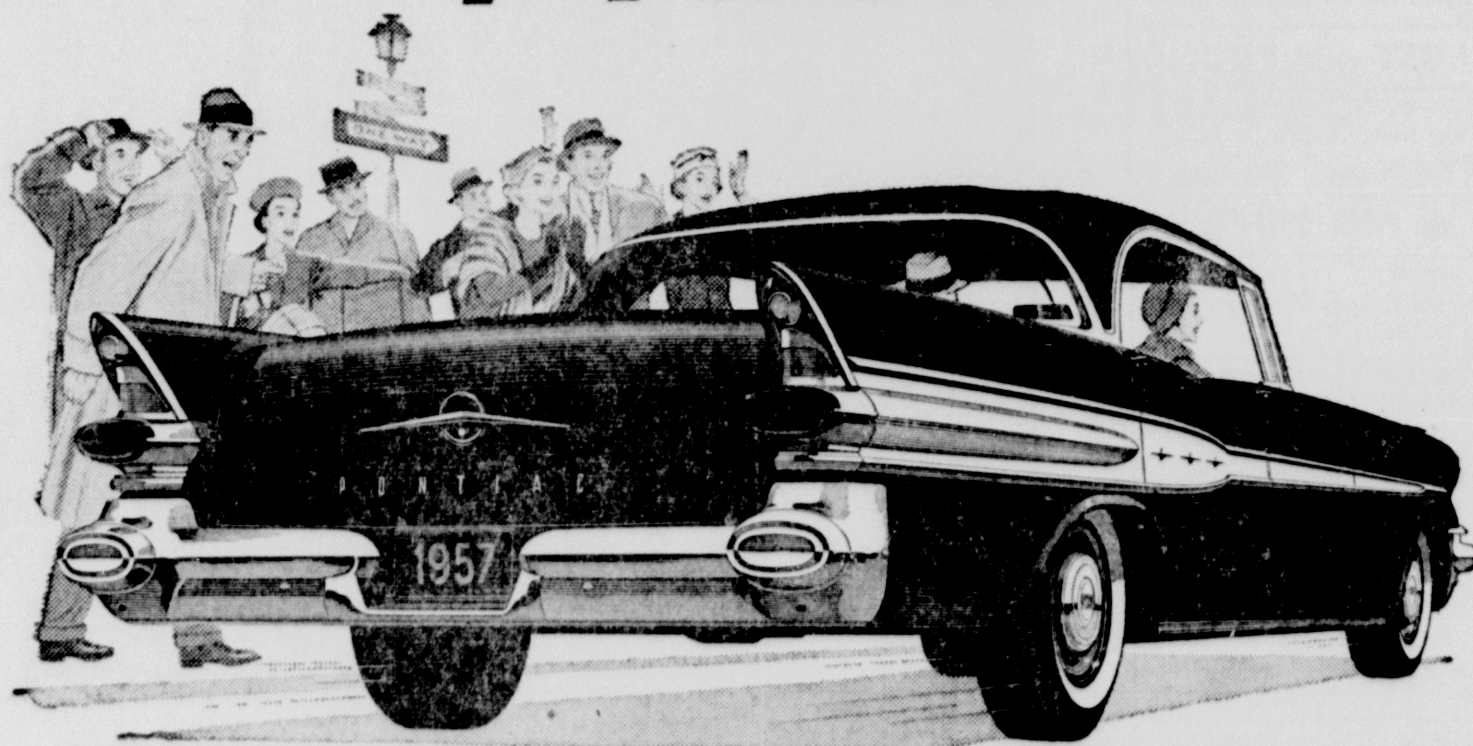
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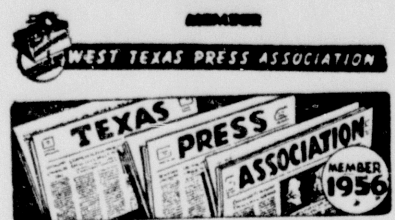
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OUR EYES PLAY A VITAL ROLE WE OVERLOOK

If the "Eyes of Texas" ever focus on you, they could create a force of more than a million horsepower—the equivalent of about 5,000 high powered modern automobiles bearing down on you. All of which proves two things: Texans are about as powerful as they have always claimed, and the eyes are very remarkable instruments.

The strength of the natives of the Lone Star State is more or less a matter of common knowledge, but the almost countless fascinating facts about the human eye are not.

For example, did you know that an ordinary pair of eyes is capable of drawing up to 25 per cent of the energy your body generates? Or that the eyes control 80 per cent of your actions and are responsible for 83 per cent of all the learning you will ever acquire?

If you've been wondering why women in your family seem to be more color conscious than you are, it's because they are simply more gifted in color perception. One man in 25 is color blind, while only one in approximately 250 women suffers from this visual affliction.

And did you know that the normal person blinks 25 times a minute? Or that good readers blink more often than slow readers?

The tiny, aspirin-sized lense in your eye changes curvature instantly to focus on objects right under your nose or hundreds of

yards away. Each eye has more than one hundred million sensitive cells which are capable of receiving an impression and these have about a million nerve fibers feeding impulses back into the brain where they are translated into color recognition.

It's logical to assume that a mechanism as delicate as this would go completely out of which at the slightest provocation. But it just isn't so. The human eye is far tougher than many other parts of the body and will stand an amazing amount of abuse without permanently losing its effectiveness.

You can't damage your eyes by using them too much. But, poor reading light, improperly fitted glasses or lack of glasses can cause eyestrain and related distresses such as indigestion, upset nerves and that all-too-familiar "run-down" feeling.

Although moderate drinking doesn't impair the eyes, alcohol does result in a marked deterioration of vision—as much as 32 per cent. Laboratory tests have proved that alcohol has the same effect on a person's vision as driving with sunglasses in twilight or darkness. When the oncoming driver refuses to lower his lights, it will take you longer—perhaps fatally longer—to recover your normal vision if you have been drinking.

Although the eyes are more rugged than most of us suppose, they still deserve the most exacting care we can give them.

RECALLING Other Years

★ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home - Town Newspaper, The Herald.

TWENTY YEARS AGO.

Among news items of 20 years ago in the Hamlin community were the following, reprinted from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated January 15, 1937:

"Gone With the Wind," popular new novel, was reviewed by Mrs. J. P. Bohannon of Abilene as the program feature of the Parent-Teacher Association meeting last Thursday. President Mrs. B. M. Brundage presided.

Douglas Jenkins of Dove community was painfully injured Monday night about 8:00 o'clock when the car in which he and three companions were riding crashed into a Katy Railway train on North Central Avenue. Only slightly injured were the other occupants of the car, Floyd Andrews, Shirley Ratliff and Irene Martin.

Total deposits of the Farmers & Merchants National Bank, at the close of business December 31, 1936, were \$526,626.03, according to the official statement of the bank, just released.

Voters of Stonewall County, to the north of Hamlin, voted Saturday to outlaw the sale of beer in that county. Nolan and Shackelford Counties are the only "wet" counties now in the area.

TEN YEARS AGO.

Considered newsworthy in the Hamlin community 10 years ago were the following items, reproduced from The Hamlin Herald dated January 17, 1947:

Charles Prather was a speaker at the Hamlin Lions Club Tuesday when he told of some of his experiences in Australia during his Army service in the land "down under."

"Cactus Jack" Ellison of Hamlin has been named captain of the 1947 Hardin-Simmons University Cowboy football team.

Edgar E. Duncan announces the change in name of the Duncan Food Store to Piggly Wiggly this week.

Another drive for funds for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis is underway in the Hamlin community. Mrs. V. R. Bonds is chairman of the campaign.

Anna Faye Carnes and Dawson McCoy were united in marriage last Friday afternoon at the home of Dr. Will C. House, Methodist pastor.

Lois Faye Brady, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Brady, became the bride of A. J. Perkins of Matador in rites repeated Christmas Eve at Lubbock.

FIVE YEARS AGO.

News items of interest in the Hamlin community five years ago included the following, which are condensed from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated January 18, 1952:

Oil leasing activity has increased in the Hamlin section in recent days, portending increased drilling action, say oil operators and others in touch with the situation.

Jack Willingham, a junior animal husbandry major from Hamlin, has been elected president of the Saddle and Sirolo Club at Texas A. & M. College.

Postal receipts at the Hamlin post office set an all-time high last year, reports Postmaster Perry Sparks, who says the total reached \$27,323.67.

Ignacio Lechuga, about 26, of near Hamlin, was arraigned before Judge Owen Thomas in 104th District Court at Anson Monday on a charge of murder in the death of Abelino Seballos at Hamlin on December 16. He pleaded not guilty, and his trial was set for February 18. He pleaded not Thomas at \$3,500, which was posted for the Mexican.

William Kary Jones, former section foreman for the Santa Fe Railway at Hamlin, was sentenced to die in the electric chair at Huntsville on February 26 for the murder of his 11-year-old daughter, Lela Maude, last February 27. He also admitted killing his wife.

ONE YEAR AGO.

From the files of a year ago the following news briefs are taken from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated January 13, 1956:

Jack Owen Coats, formerly of Lubbock, has recently assumed the position of planning engineer for the Celotex Corporation's plant at Hamlin.

Continued stability of the Hamlin community is reflected in the statement of the Farmers & Merchants National Bank of Hamlin for the close of business on December 31, just released. It shows deposits at \$4,761,975.45.

Jake Lawson, local gas company manager, was elected chief of the Hamlin Volunteer Fire Department at the annual business meeting Thursday night.

Best Prices for Cattle in Month Paid Monday at Brisk Fort Worth Market

Cattle and calves opened on a strong to 50 cents higher basis at Fort Worth Monday, with some high grade killing calves and top grade stocker calves 50 cents to \$1 higher, according to Ted Gouldy, special market reporter for The Herald, in his weekly release. The release continues: Heavy-weight fed slaughter calves were up more than \$1 in spots.

The abbreviated supplies attracted all interests into the trade actively, and cowmen and cattle feeders had the most gratifying session in more than a month.

Comparative prices: Good and choice slaughter steers and yearlings, \$16 to \$20.25; numerous loads in the \$18 to \$20 bracket, including a load of 1,126-pound fed heifers from the Exura Ranch, Company of Dalhart that topped at \$18.50. Lower grade killers sold from \$10 to \$15.

Good and choice slaughter calves netted \$15 to \$19 with some heavy weights in the \$17 to \$17.75 bracket, more than \$1 above last week's low close on that type. Lower grade slaughter calves drew \$10 to \$14.50, a few culls less. Good and choice stocker steer calves brought \$16 to \$19, heifer calves \$17 down for stockers, steer yearlings \$17.50 down.

The 4-H and FFA boys who took part in the commercial lamb feeding project just concluded market-

ed their lambs at mostly \$17 and \$17.50, which included some heavy-weight lambs which otherwise would have brought the extreme top.

Donald Dusek, winner of the contest, which was based 20 per cent on gain and 80 per cent on records, averaged a gain of .44 pound per day over weight going into the feedlot in the 111 days.

About 5,000 sheep and lambs, 90 per cent of them lambs, arrived at Fort Worth Monday. This was about 2,500 fewer than a week earlier and the trade was brisk at strong to 50 cents higher rates. Good and choice slaughter lambs sold from \$16 to \$18, the top figure for some lambs bearing fall shorn and full woolled pelts. Some choice lambs with No. 2 pelts sold from \$17.50 down, and some good recently shorn lambs drew \$16 to \$16.50. Cull, common and medium slaughter lambs sold from \$10 to \$15.

Stocker and feeder lambs sold from \$14 to \$17.50, the latter on woolled lambs, mixed freshy and fat. Old ewes drew \$5.50 to \$7, and some recently shorn mixed old ewes and bucks sold at \$5.50 straight. Slaughter yearlings drew \$10 to \$15, the top for some recently shorn, but fancy fat handy weight yearling lambs.

Normal supplies of hogs at Fort

Worth and all around the major livestock marketing circle Monday failed to face the buyers as prices advanced 25 to 50 cents on butcher hogs. Sausage mills put enough pressure on hogs to move them up mostly a half dollar.

Choice meat hogs topped at \$18 to \$18.25, with the medium grades and medium weights from \$14 to \$1. A few pigs hit \$10 to \$12, and a few steers \$6 to \$10. Sows cashed at \$13.50 to \$15.70.

Perry Lunsford, president of the Texas Beef Cattle Improvement Association, announced from his Dallas office this week that the

annual meeting will be held at the Hilton Hotel in Fort Worth January 28.

Lunsford says the meeting is open to anyone interested. This is the group that seeks to improve quality by testing herds with a view to breeding toward heavier weaning weights, greater inherent ability to gain, etc. Though the stress is on hereditary factors in the main, any methods which also improve quality and gainability are tested, too.

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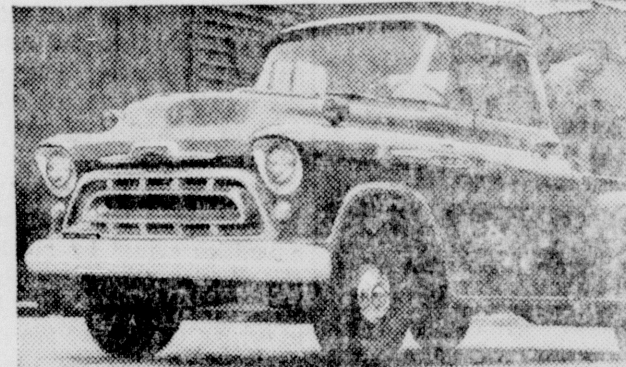
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Fairness to Self-Employed

"The Jenkins-Keogh proposal is the essence of free enterprise and self reliance," said the president of the American Bar Association. This strongly-backed, proposed federal law would allow a self-employed person to deduct from his gross income each year a limited amount of earned income contributed by him to a restricted retirement fund, or paid in as premiums to purchase a restricted retirement annuity contract. Not more than \$5,000 a year or \$100,000 in a lifetime could be thus deducted.

The reason for the measure is that present day taxes and living costs make it difficult and, in some cases, virtually impossible for self-employed people to create an old age retirement fund out of current income. There are some 10,000,000 citizens in that boat—lawyers, doctors, farmers, small businessmen and so on. They are in an entirely different position than those who work for others and can participate in employee pension plans, which are deemed a business expense and constitute a tax deduction for the employer.

Leading spokesmen for both the parties have endorsed the underlying principle of the Jenkins-Keogh bill. The secretary of the treasury has granted that present revenue laws are unfair to the self-employed. The measure is supported by many newspapers and other voices of opinion. The hope is that this or a similar measure will gain well merited approval in the next Congress.

It Can Be Done—But

We frequently hear people in public life advocate tax reduction on the one hand—and huge new government spending programs on the other hand.

Actually, both proposals could be undertaken—by such expedients as an extreme "soft money" policy and by turning loose the presses that print the currency.

If that should happen, what would the results be? Secretary of the Treasury Humphrey answered with these words: "This... is the policy of deliberate inflation and must result in a return to a budget unbalanced by several billion dollars, with all of the inflationary pressures that it would create." Then we'd have more dollars in circulation, but each of them would become progressively less valuable—and if the program were carried to its logical end, would become worthless.

Life Begins Today

Only recently a young man who had indulged in the current laxity and suffered failure in his work, contented himself with the volatile remark in the light of Walter Pitkin's interesting book, "Oh, well, life begins at forty." It is well to note that many of the world's geniuses "clicked" before they reached the age of forty.

Thomas Jefferson wrote the Declaration of Independence when he was 33.

Alexander Hamilton was a member of Congress at 25 and a member of George Washington's cabinet at 32.

Daniel Webster entered Congress at 30.

Henry Clay was appointed senator at 29, before he was of constitutional age.

Chaucer was well known at court as a poet when he was but 25.

Livy began his "History of Roman State" at the age of 24.

Moliere finished a comedy, his best, at 17.

Milton wrote "Comus," by some esteemed as one of his most charming poems, at 26.

Keats made himself immortal in English literature before his death, at 24.

Beethoven was a skilled composer at 19.

Ford started his first car while in his thirties.

Edison invented the incandescent electric light when he was only 32.

The presidents of two of our leading universities are in their thirties.

Editorial of the Week

INDIVIDUAL THINKING.

The person who does his own thinking isn't one who shuts his ears to the thinking of others. Quite the contrary. In religion he studies the doctrines of other groups as diligently as he studies his own. In politics he studies the philosophy of the other party. And he should also be informed concerning Communism and Fascism.

After he has weighed all the facts, investigated all views, and has reached his decision, then it is that he is able to withstand the propaganda which is hurled at him from all directions. He isn't tossed about with every wind of doctrine because he has built his own philosophy on sound foundation. He won't be a religious liberal today and an evangelical tomorrow. He won't embrace one political party this year and another next year.

There is no substitute for individual thinking.

Poor Visibility During Winter Is Most Common Cause of Traffic Accidents

"Poor visibility is one of the most serious problems facing the motorist in winter driving!"

That was the warning issued this week by E. C. McFadden of Dallas, president of the Texas Safety Association, in connection with the state-wide campaign for safe winter driving sponsored by the Texas Safety Association.

"In addition to the hazards of skidding that winter presents to the motorist, the problem of reduced visibility can make driving

especially treacherous," McFadden said.

"Motorists must be able to see danger to avoid it," he emphasized.

"A basic requirement is that windshield wipers be in top notch condition. Summer sun or age bake the life out of rubber blades and cause them to streak the windshield," McFadden said. "When they do, they should be replaced."

"Another important precaution is to see that heaters and defrosters are working properly."

Fewer hours of daylight, rain, snow, sleet, splattered windshields, the glare of the sun on snow or ice, fog and frequent overcast all serve to reduce the distance a driver can see to a dangerous minimum, it was pointed out.

"And after a storm be sure to clean all the snow off your windshield and other windows of your car. It is also a good idea to wipe off the headlights, turn signals and tail-lights at the same time."

"Keep the inside of your windows clean and free of smoke and steam and be sure you can see through the side windows. Danger may approach from the sides or rear as well as from the front."

Statistics show that in almost one out of seven fatal accidents, the driver's vision was obscured. In two out of five of these cases, the obstruction was on the vehicle itself, such as rain, snow or sleet on the windshield.

"Keep these figures in mind," McFadden warned drivers, "and keep alert to these dangers. You couldn't drive with your eyes closed. Don't drive with your vision obstructed!"

Drive safely! An accident is usually the only winner in the race against time.



HEAD TOP COMMITTEES—Representative W. S. Heatley of Paducah (left), chairman of the state affairs committee; Representative Frates Seeligson of San Antonio (center), chairman of the revenue and tax committee; and Representative Max E. Smith of San Marcos, chairman of the appropriations committee, discuss their new jobs after appointments were made by House Speaker Waggoner Carr at the opening of the fifty-fifth Texas Legislature at Austin.

Slight Decline Shown From Previous Week By Sunday Schools

Slight decline in Sunday School attendance at the city's churches Sunday morning was recorded in comparison with the totals for the previous Sunday. The 1,272 total for January 13, however, was nearly 100 more than the year ago attendance.

Totals, by churches, for January 13, January 6 and a year ago for the 12 reporting churches of the city follow:

Churches—	Jan. 13	Jan. 6	Year Ago
First Baptist.....	417	409	392
No. Cen. Baptist.....	68	88	55
Oak Gr. Col. Bap.....	40	30	23
Mexican Baptist.....	25	38	39
Ch. of Nazarene.....	96	76	103
First Methodist.....	215	222	216
Sunset Baptist.....	59	73	30
Church of Christ.....	154	148	126
Calvary Baptist.....	52	52	43
United Pentecostal.....	—	—	—
Assembly of God.....	54	44	46
Foursquare Gospel.....	57	58	80
Faith Methodist.....	35	50	37
Totals.....	1272	1290	1190

St. Peter's in Rome is the largest cathedral in the world.

VETERAN QUESTIONS

The questions and answers below about veteran problems are carried as a service to present and former service connected personnel by The Herald. Material for this column is supplied by the area office of the Veterans Administration at Lubbock.

Question.—I pay my GI insurance premiums on a yearly basis. What if something should happen to me shortly after I make my yearly payment? Wouldn't my beneficiaries be entitled to a refund of the advance payment?

Answer.—Yes. The money not yet applied to your insurance coverage would be refunded to your beneficiaries at the time VA settled the insurance claim.

Q.—I am a Korea veteran receiving vocational rehabilitation training. Am I entitled to VA medical care while I am in training?

A.—Yes. You may receive medical treatment which VA determines to be necessary to prevent interruption of your training, even though the condition is not directly connected with your military service.

Q.—Is it possible to finish my

Roughage Program Extended Further by Federal Feed Agency

Roughage program for Texas has been extended in all 238 counties previously designated, including Jones, Fisher, Stonewall, Haskell, Shackelford, Taylor and Nolan, Walter T. McKay, state director of the Farmers Home Administration, announced this week. County committees in all designated counties are being advised that they may now accept applications for a supply of roughage feed to carry basic livestock through March 15, 1957.

McKay was also advised that it is the policy of the Department of Agriculture to continue the emergency feed grain and roughage programs in the drought areas as long as there is a need for these programs.

A.—No. The law prohibits regular high school training. Courses in schools below the college level may be taken only if they fit you for specific vocational employment.

Retirement Plan For City Workers Given Approval

Besides projecting a new curb and gutter program for the city of Hamlin, details of which are given in a separate article in today's Herald, the Hamlin City Council handled other business matters at the monthly business session held Monday night.

Retirement program for city employees, which has been under consideration for more than a year, was finally approved. Recent alterations in the state retirement compensation program now permit cities to participate in a practical retirement program for employees, said city councilmen.

The group also tentatively approved plans for replacing aged water mains on South Central Avenue south of Santa Fe Railway tracks on Highway 83. The State Highway Commission plans to curb and gutter and widen pavement for two blocks south of the tracks in a forthcoming highway improvement program this year, it was pointed out.

An ordinance was passed prohibiting the shooting of BB and pellet guns in the city limits. Con-

Freight Carloadings For Santa Fe Decline

Freight carloadings for the Santa Fe Railway System for the week ending January 5, 1957, were 19,544 compared with 21,338 for the same week in 1956, reflecting a decided decline from the year ago total. Cars received from connections totaled 9,862 compared with 10,211 for the same week in 1956.

Total cars moved were 29,406 compared with 31,549 for the same week in 1956. Santa Fe handled a total of 29,194 cars in the preceding week last year.

"No smoking in this coach, sir," said the conductor.

"I'm not smokin'," answered the passenger with an injured air.

"You've got you pipe in your mouth," declared the conductor with emphasis, sharply confident.

"I have," retorted the passenger, "and I have me foot in me shoe, too, but I'm not walkin'."

considerable damage has been done by these guns in recent weeks. A fine of from \$5 to \$200 for conviction was set as penalty.

A one-way street was designated on Northwest Fourth Street, north of the Primary School building. Traffic will travel west only on this one block, it was ordained.

Celotex Delegation Attends Banquet for Jaycees at Abilene

Members of the management committee, the local union president and recording secretary of the AFL Celotex Union and their wives were guests of the Celotex Corporation at the Junior Chamber of Commerce banquet Saturday night. The gathering, held in the Rose Field House at Hardin-Simmons University, honored the five outstanding young men of Texas for 1956.

Paul Harvey, noted ABC radio commentator, was the principal speaker of the evening.

Attending from Hamlin were Messrs. and Mmes. D. W. Cowan, George Cowan, Clyde Lewis, Miller Harmon, C. V. Herbert, W. O. Brown, C. J. Rollis, L. E. Madden, G. H. Williams and S. P. Cox; Mrs. Lucille Snow, Mrs. Sue Sims and Stan Sheppard.

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PEACHES	\$1.00	Creamy Smooth	3-lb. Can

Stokely's	Five No. 303 Cans	BAKE-RITE	79c
PEACHES	\$1.00	Dining Car	6-oz. Jar

White Swan Crushed	Two No. 1 Cans	INSTANT COFFEE	\$1.29
PINEAPPLE	29c	Kraft's	Pound

Stokely's	46-oz. Can	PARKAY OLEO	31c
Grapefruit JUICE ..	29c	Kraft's	Two 46-oz. Can

Stokely's	46-oz. Can	ORANGE ADE	55c
TOMATO JUICE	29c	Ready to Cook	Two Pkgs.

		KRAFT DINNER	31c
		Kraft's Assorted	5-oz. Jar

		CHEESE SPREAD ...	23c
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Ruby Red	Six for	FROZEN FOODS	
GRAPEFRUIT	39c	Doritos	12-oz. Can
Florida	Pound	ORANGE JUICE	33c
ORANGES	9c	Banquet	8-oz. Size
Red	10-lb. Bag	MEAT PIES	23c
POTATOES	49c		10-oz. Pkg.
Fresh, Crisp	Head	BROCCOLI SPEARS ...	20c
CAULIFLOWER	19c		10-oz. Pkg.
Firm Heads	Pound	BABY LIMAS	20c
CABBAGE	3c		Pkg.

Tuxedo	Two Cans	BABY LIMAS	20c
TUNA FISH	25c		Pkg

Wapco	10-oz. Bottle		
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The Herald's Page for Women



Ginger Means Named Homemaker of Tomorrow in Hamlin High School

Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow in Hamlin High School is Ginger Means.

She received the highest score in a written examination on home-making knowledge and attitudes, administered December 4, to senior girls in the graduating class. Her examination paper will be entered in competition to name this state's candidate for the title of All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow and will also be considered for the runner-up award in the state. For her achievement she will receive an award pin designed by Trifari of New York.

The national winner in the third annual search conducted among 300,256 young women in 11,636 of the nation's public, private and parochial high schools will be named May 2 at the American table banquet in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel in New York City.

General Mills is sponsor of the program designed to assist schools in education for home and family living and to emphasize through a sound scholarship award program the personal qualities and sense of values necessary to successful

homemaking. A total of \$106,000 in scholarships will be awarded.

Each state Betty Crocker Homemaker of Tomorrow will receive a \$1,500 scholarship and an educational trip with her school advisor to Washington, D. C., colonial Williamsburg, Virginia, and New York City. A \$500 scholarship will be awarded the runner-up girls in each state. The school of the state winner will receive a set of the Encyclopedia Britannica.

Scholarship of the young woman named All-American Homemaker of Tomorrow will be increased to \$5,000. This year for the first time girls who rank second, third and fourth in the national finals will receive \$4,000, \$3,000 and \$2,000 scholarships, respectively.

New Officers Named At Meeting of Hamlin Garden Club Group

Naming of officers and a program on "Roses" highlighted the meeting of the Hamlin Garden Club held last week in the home of Mrs. Edgar Duncan.

Mrs. Edgar Duncan was named the new president; Mrs. Carl Young, first vice president; Mrs. Clyde Grace, second vice president; Mrs. Eddie Jay, recording secretary; Mrs. J. P. Morgan, corresponding secretary; Mrs. R. D. Moore, treasurer; Mrs. Bowen Pope, reporter; Mrs. C. G. Green, historian; and Mrs. Ed Bailey, librarian.

The slate of new officers was presented by the nominating committee composed of Mrs. C. G. Green, Mrs. M. T. York and Mrs. J. P. Morgan. Mrs. Harold Bonner conducted the business session. "How to Grow Healthy Roses" was presented by Mrs. Gene Previtt. In her talk she gave eight basic rules to follow to insure the growing of better and healthier roses.

"New Roses" was given by Mrs. R. D. Moore. "White Bouquet," the first white rose, "Golden Showers," everblooming and climbing roses and the Texan, a red rose, were selected as some of the new roses of 1957.

A suggestion was given to dust rose bushes with sulphur every week until weather turns warm to eliminate insects.

Next program of the Garden Club will be held in the home of Mrs. George Campbell. Special emphasis will be placed on testing the soil in the vicinity for deficiencies.

THESE WOMEN!

By d'Alessio



"Stop worrying! Some of them are only ten-cent items!"

Food Prices Now Are Higher Than Year Ago, Agent Reviews

Food prices are higher now than a year ago, and will likely continue so through the first quarter of 1957, points out Mary Y. Newberry, county home demonstration agent.

Less pork and choice beef will be available. Prices are due to rise slightly. Poultry supplies will increase and lower prices seem likely. Farm families over the United States used an average of 20 cents of the food dollar for meats and three cents for poultry and eggs.

Dairy products (excluding butter) are expected to be plentiful with prices up a little. Farm families reported spending about 11 cents of the food dollar for dairy products while all families in the South averaged 14 cents.

Supplies of fruit will likely continue fairly adequate. Less fresh apples and grapes seem likely to be available. Pears should be plentiful. Unfavorable weather threatens the winter vegetable supply, but large supplies of processed vegetables are available. Irish potatoes are plentiful, sweet potatoes are scarce. With 10 to 11 cents of the food dollar being used for vegetables, a home garden might have appreciable cash as well as nutritive value.

Drive safely! Life is not so short that there is not time for courtesy.

Ireland was known to the ancient Romans as Hibernia.

News Notes from the Telephone Office

We certainly do appreciate the nice gifts received during Christmas.

A pink and blue shower for Mrs. James Stevens was given in the telephone lounge Monday, January 7, at 3:00 p. m. Hostesses were Virginia White, Rosa Lee Scott, Frances Boil and Oletha Waldrop.

Louise Proctor spent Friday in Abilene attending a Southwestern Bell Telephone school.

Mrs. Laverne Kirby and son, LeRoy, are in San Diego, California, this week visiting her sister, who is ill.

Visiting in the Bob Tegart home Friday evening were the Stanley Hills of Abilene.

Attending the annual credit union meeting in Abilene Friday night are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tegart, Louise Proctor and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin J. Scott.

Mrs. Clota Mae Tegart spent Tuesday in Abilene attending a chief operators' conference.

Mrs. Jo Riddle attended jury duty Monday.

Andy Anderson, wire chief, attended conference in Abilene last Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

F. E. Turner attend a special telephone equipment school last week at Fort Worth.

Prices on Clothing Will Continue to Rise In 1957, Says Agent

Prices are heading upward on some clothing items in 1957, according to Mary Y. Newberry, Jones County home demonstration agent. However, because of competition in the field, manufacturers and retailers are drifting away from across-the-board increases to pricing by item. Another hopeful note is the fact that this competition will produce a greater variety of clothing in the medium and better priced lines. More than ever before, careful shopping will help to cut clothing costs.

Competition in a price field sets the level of quality you get. At a given price the product must include one or more such features as style, fit and comfort, workmanship, strength and durability, resistance to shrinkage, color fastness, special features such as washability, crease resistance, etc. All this makes label information very important.

Directions for care should be given and carefully followed by consumers.

Boston is the largest capital city in the United States.

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"New Tablet Relieves 'Hot Flashes,' Irritation From Change-Of-Life Without Costly Shots!"

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Council Members For Camp Fire Girls Enjoy Chili Supper

Members of the Hamlin Camp Fire Girls Council met Tuesday evening at the high school cafeteria for a chili supper and business session.

Serving tables were attractively decorated with arrangements of carnations and gladiolas.

The meeting was called to order by the president, John D. Ferguson. Reports were given by the various chairmen. The treasurer, Mrs. Arlie Cassle, reported a balance of \$400.26.

Mrs. Delbert Rountree, chairman of the nominating committee, read the names of officers selected for the coming year. The slate was then elected by acclamation. W. S. Seals, president; R. L. McClung, vice president; Mrs. W. S. Seals, secretary; Mrs. Arlie Cassle, treasurer; Mrs. E. N. Jenkins, registrar; Mrs. Wilson Brannon, adult membership and nominations chairman; Mrs. James L. Fitzgerald, public relations chairman; Mrs. Dean Witt, awards chairman; Weldon Johnson, camp and maintenance chairman; J. C. Turner, house and grounds committee; Clifford Reynolds Jr., finance chairman; John Ferguson, assistant finance chairman; Mrs. Irby Weaver, group organization chairman; Mrs. George Black, community service chairman; Mrs. R. L. McClung, training chairman; Mrs. John D. Ferguson, regional representative.

The report by Mrs. E. N. Jenkins included a newly organized group of girls with 18 enrolled. This brings the total enrollment of girls in the Camp Fire organization to 101, plus 33 workers, or an overall total of 134 in the local organization.

WANTA BUY A DOG?

Advertisement: Dog for sale. Eats anything. Fond of children.

The Great Divide is the Rocky Mountain watershed.

The more you lean on others the leaner your chances for success.

Sorority Group May Again Conduct City Santa Claus Project

Plans were discussed for continuing the Santa Claus project recently conducted by the Beta Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi when members of the group met in regular session in the home of Mrs. Truman Nix.

Mrs. Brad Rowland Jr., president, presided over the business session. A good report on the Santa Claus project.

Mrs. Nix, chairman of the entertainment committee, announced that Mrs. Weldon Griggs had invited the sorority to go to the Petroleum Club in Abilene for a dinner party.

Mrs. Jim Herdridge gave the program on "Music Into Drama and Dance."

Next meeting of the sorority will be in the home of Mrs. Garland Preston.

Mrs. Wilson to Attend District B&PW Session

Mrs. E. M. Wilson will attend a district meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club representatives in Fort Worth this week-end.

Mrs. Wilson, who is a director of District 7 of B&PW Clubs, will be gone Saturday and Sunday.

MAYBE NOT WORTHY?

Think your boss is tough? Here is one that's even tougher. One of his employees crept into his office timidly one morning and said:

"Sir, may I have next Tuesday off? It's my silver anniversary, and Maggie and I want to celebrate."

"Fine thing," snarled the boss. "That's what I call real devotion to your job. And I suppose I'll have to put up with this sort of thing every 25 years."

The more you lean on others the leaner your chances for success.

Officers Installed at Meeting of Friendship Demonstration Club

Officers were installed and committees named for the ensuing year when members of the Friendship Home Demonstration Club met Friday afternoon at the oil mill guest house.

New officers are: Mrs. Sol Branscum, president; Mrs. B. H. Gardner, vice president; Mrs. M. S. Johnson, secretary; Mrs. Grady Smith, treasurer; Mrs. John Hix, council delegate; Mrs. E. G. Young, recreation leader; Mrs. Gene Witt, reporter.

A treasurer's report was given during the business session. Nine members were present.

Next meeting of the Friendship group will be January 25 at the oil mill guest house. Members will do tube painting.

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Roger Babson Says All States Offer Advantages as Proper Place to Live

"I am interested in a Gallup poll on six questions of where to live," declares Roger W. Babson, economic analyst and advisor, who



is a regular contributor to these columns of Your Home Town Paper. His weekly release says:

I will not discuss the answers to three of these, namely: Which is the most beautiful state, or which is the healthiest, or which is the best for a winter or summer vacation. The answers to all these questions are most interesting. I, however, am not qualified to pass thereon.

Of the six questions, Gallup has given the 10 first choices. Based upon the law of averages (in which I have great faith), the following nine states appear in the answers to most of the six questions: California, Florida, Colorado, Washington, Oregon, Texas, New York, Michigan and New Mexico or Arizona.

Based upon my extensive travels and the opinions of thousands of friends, I honestly believe that every one of our 48 states possesses to some extent all the advantages mentioned in this poll. This means to me that every reader should continue to live in the state where he is now located.

Statistics show that death rates and health conditions depend 90 per cent on the heritage and habits of its individuals and not upon where we live. The joy which we get from a vacation depends far more upon the people we meet than the scenery we see. None of the things which we really want can

History Written Close to Hamlin, Lions Club Learns

Plenty of history was written close by Hamlin, it was learned by picture and words by members and guests of the Hamlin Lions Club, meeting Tuesday at noon at the oil mill guest house.

The history, based on some little known facts gathered by Mrs. Mavis Hicks, was presented by Mmes. E. J. Hawkins, who showed colored slides, and Mrs. Gean Witt, who gave the history narrative of old Fort Reynolds, located about a century ago on the present Y-6 Ranch, northwest of Hamlin.

The narrative traced the establishment of the old Army fort on the former wide spread T Diamond Ranch that covered some 30,000 acres in three counties. The pictures showed remains of the old stone fort, graves of some of the early comers to the territory, and some scenes taken on the present Y-6 Ranch, owned by Mrs. Faye Young Morton, daughter of one of the early ranch owners.

Mrs. Witt declared that the pictures and narrative will be presented to the Texas heritage department of the Texas Federation of Women's Club for inclusion in histories of early day Texas.

President Edgar Duncan appointed a nominating committee to suggest officers for the ensuing Lions Club year beginning July 1. Named were W. S. Seals, B. V. Newberry and Joe Culbertson.

Guests at the Tuesday luncheon, besides the program principals, included Florence Harris and Jim Garrett of Sweetwater, Dr. Robert Twoby of Boston, Massachusetts, Joe Breed of Anson and Joe League Jr.

be purchased with a railroad ticket!

I, however, should be an authority on the best places to get a job. If you mean now, the answer is probably Southern California or wherever airplane plants are located. But, when the fear of World War III is over, these same sections will suffer much unemployment. In fact, directly after a previous world war, 80 per cent of the bus and taxi drivers of Los Angeles were said to be college graduates.

Wages are higher when work is plentiful in some cities, but such work is likely to fluctuate more. Statistics indicate that the total yearly "take home" wages, adjusted according to living costs, are about the same in all 48 states. Again I say that in the long run a family does not better its total income by moving. One can get more comforts in Miami, Florida, than in Bismarck, North Dakota; but I am sure the latter is a better place to bring up a family of children.

Of course, the future value of land varies with different states. Probably the best purchases for speculation are in the West Coast states and the Southern states. In making purchases of homes, however, put more money into the land rather than into the house. Well located land in any part of this wonderful country should continue to become more valuable from year to year, but any house is becoming less valuable each year unless money is constantly spent to keep it up to date.

To those who are determined to move, I suggest you consider for investment or employment a capital city of one of the 48 states. None of these 48 cities has ever defaulted on its municipal bonds. Owing to the large number employed by the various state departments, there is very little unemployment even during a depression. Due to pension systems—which most states have adopted—almost every family feels secure about its old age or the possibility of sickness. Most important of all is the fact that taxes can be collected from the entire state to support the capital city, whatever general business conditions may be elsewhere.

Cities having state universities are also to be chosen. These likewise are supported by taxes from all the state. They are rapidly growing. Your children get a college education at a low cost—as well as a good "boy or girl friend." I also like cities which have non-fluctuating but constantly growing industries. The insurance business is a good illustration. Business is always good in such cities as Hartford, Connecticut. Every state has one or more of such cities. However, your future depends upon you, rather than upon where you are located. Hence, my advice is to avoid being a "rolling stone," but make good where you now are.

VERY POLITE.

This is not the first time our country has experienced a shortage of domestic help. Once, in the early 1890s, a certain Washington social climber resolved to hijack one from Mrs. James G. Blaine.

Calling brazenly at the Blaine home, she asked to see the cook, and with the lure of higher wages, enticed her away.

Later at a social function the social climber was formally presented to Mrs. Blaine.

"Oh, yes," said Mrs. Blaine blandly, "I remember—you once called on my cook!"

Farmers Urged to Take Advantage of Tax Deductions

Many local farmers and ranchmen can save tax dollars by taking advantage of all allowable deductions and other credits, says County Agricultural Agent Bill Lehmborg.

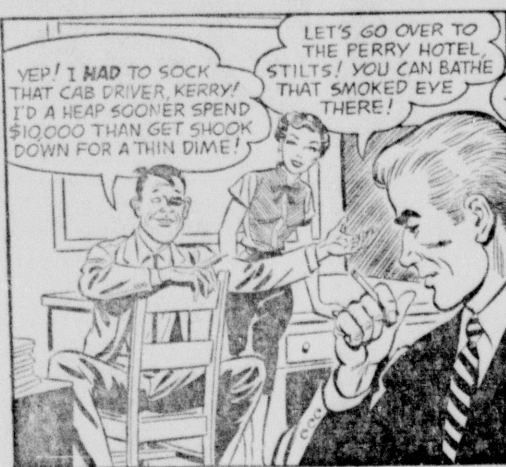
A new law is of particular importance this year concerning the sale of breeding, dairy or draft animals because of drought. Under certain conditions, the profit from such sales will not be taxed.

New fast depreciation methods can reduce current taxes. And, when you fail to take depreciation, that deduction is gone forever; it cannot be made up in future years. Reporting the sale of all qualifying livestock as the sale of capital assets, instead of reporting the same as ordinary income, will sharply lower tax liability.

These subjects and many others are treated in the new "1956 Farmer's Tax Guide," now available at the county agent's office. Arranged for easy finding, it explains how to handle most tax problems that farmers and ranchmen face.

Some farmers have lost money this year and will not owe any taxes. When there is no tax li-

KERRY DRAKE



I expect to pass through this world but once. Any good thing therefore, that I can do or any kindness I can show to any fellow human being let me do it now. Let me not defer nor neglect it, for I shall not pass this way again.—Stephen Grellet.

bility some farmers in the past have tended to neglect taking all allowable deductions. This is usually a mistake, because losses can now be carried backward for two years and carried forward for many as five years. Sooner or later these current losses should permit the taxpayer to either get future tax bills.

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Things cannot always go your way. Learn to accept in silence the minor aggravations, cultivate the gift of taciturnity and consume your own smoke with an extra draught of hard work, so that those about you may not be annoyed with the dust and soot of your complaints.—Sir William Osler.

The ideal life is in our blood and never will be still. Sad will be the day for any man when he becomes contented with thoughts he is thinking and the deeds he is doing—where there is not forever beating at the doors of his soul some great desire to do something larger, which he knows that he was meant and made to do.—Phillips Brooks.

VISION SEEMS GOOD.

The lawyer was being extremely sarcastic to the witness: "You say you were 35 feet away from the scene. Just how far can you see clearly?"

"Well," said the old farmer, "when I wake up in the morning, I can see the sun, and they tell me that's about 93,000,000 miles away."

Mars has started moving farther away from the earth again. Don't know as we blame it, either.

Longest non-scientific word in the English language is proanthesisestablishmentarianism.

It takes as much energy to wish as it does to plan.

Protection Against Wrong Choice of Vet Benefits Available

Protection against the wrong choice of death benefits under the new survivor benefits act will be extended to widows, guardians of children and dependent parents now receiving compensation for the service connected death of veterans, Scott B. Harrington, manager of the Veterans Administration regional office in Dallas, said this week in a release to The Herald.

Every election of benefits submitted by beneficiaries under the new law will be studied to determine whether the person selected the lower instead of the higher monthly payment to which he or she may be eligible, Harrington said.

If the lower monthly payment has been selected, Harrington pointed out, no action will be taken on the election, but a letter explaining the difference between the two payments will be sent to the beneficiary.

KNOWS HIS BASEBALL.

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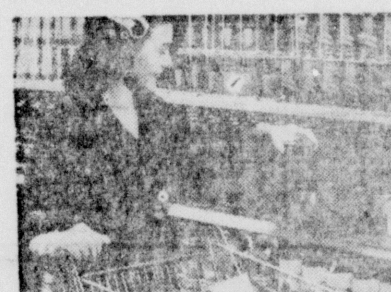
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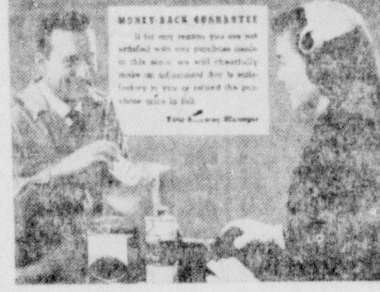
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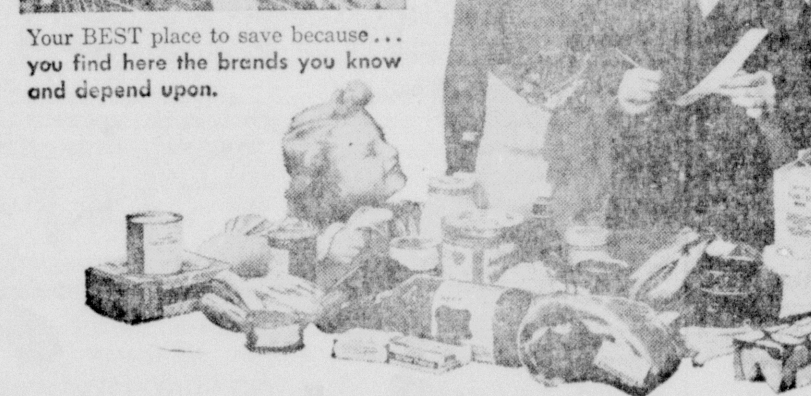
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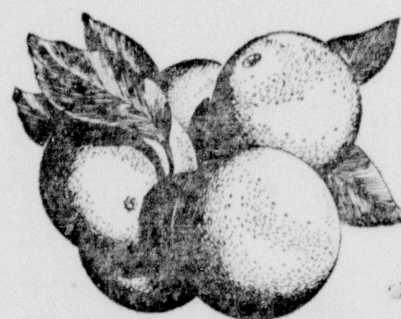
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Nearly 300 Are Expected to Attend District Grid Feed

Tickets to Affair Continue to Move At Slow Tempo

Preparations are being made to feed between 250 and 300 Hamlin area football players and fans at the annual all-district grid banquet, to be staged Saturday night at the new Hamlin High School gymnasium, according to Bobby Crowley, president of the Hamlin Pied Piper Booster Club, sponsor of the gesture to the gridders of District 4-AA.

Tickets to the affair, however, have been going slow, Crowley says, who points out that purchase of each ticket by a booster at \$3 pays for the banquet dinner of the purchaser and a griddier of the district.

All members of the Hamlin High grid squad, plus members of the all-district teams, their coaches and invited guests will be honored at the gathering.

All members of the Stamford High School A squad, recent winners of the state Class AA football championship will attend the affair.

Speaker of the evening will be L. E. (Dutch) Meyer, athletic director at Texas Christian University at Fort Worth. Also present will be Sammy Baugh, head football coach at Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, who also will speak briefly.

Hamlin Girls Drop Two to Colorado City

Hamlin High School A and B girls cagers played the teams from Colorado City Tuesday night in the new Hamlin gymnasium, the locals losing both tilts.

B cagers played first, and the Colorado City girls took the melee by a 24 to 11 count. High pointer for Hamlin was Louise Lakey with seven marks.

The A crew had an exciting tilt when they lost by five points, the final tally being 23 to 28. The Pierettes led at the beginning of the third quarter by two points.

High pointer for Hamlin in this game was Sandra Stuart with 16 tallies, and Eva Wallace was right behind her with nine.

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Half a fried chicken will be the portion of each attendant at the banquet, Booster Club officials advise. Mac Fullerton, director of bands at Hamlin Schools, will be master of ceremonies at the banquet.

Consolation Tilts Lost by Hamlin in Hawley Tourney

Hawley defeated the Hamlin Junior High School boys by a 32 to 21 score in the opening round of the Hawley junior high invitational tournament last week-end. Wesley Cummings scored nine points for Hamlin, while Trice of Hawley walked off with high point honors with 15 points.

In the second round Hamlin outclassed Wylie by a score of 41 to 15. Cummings again was high pointer for Hamlin with 10 tallies.

In the consolation finals Elmdale defeated Hamlin by a score of 30 to 21. Wayne Boatright was the Mighty Mice's leading point producer in this tilt with seven marks.

Hamlin's girls lost a heart-breaker to Elmdale in the opening round by a 23 to 22 score. The locals went into the final quarter trailing by seven points and finally wrested the lead away with one minute to play, only to eventually lose. Nina Jean and Myra Siburt each made seven points for Hamlin.

In the second round the Hamlin girls out-defended Baird by a score of 6 to 2. Clyde defeated Hamlin in the consolation finals by a 23 to 17 count. Myra Siburt dropped in six points in the last melee. Janice Ueckert of Hamlin was chosen on the all-tournament team as a guard.

Girls Win, Boys Lose In Anson Cage Tilts

Hamlin Junior High School's cage teams returned two practice games with Anson teams Wednesday afternoon of last week, the girls winning and the boys losing.

The Hamlin girls' victory was an upset, they taking the tilt by a 22 to 19 count. Nina Jean scored 11 points for game honors.

Anson boys downed the Mighty Mice by a 35 to 21 score. Cummings scored nine points and Michael Bond tallied eight to lead the local lads.



HIGH FLYING SKIRT—Stiff north winds that ushered in a cold front in Wichita Falls and the rest of the Central West Texas area including Hamlin, sent the young lady's skirt flying. The temperature dropped 39 degrees in an hour as 35-mile-per-hour winds and dust accompanied the cold front.

Pied Pipers Open District Basketball Race with 30 to 46 Loss to Seymour

Hamlin Pied Piper cagers opened their District 4-AA basketball season last Tuesday night by losing their first conference tilt when they invaded the Seymour camp. Score of the A team game was 30 to 46. Billy Ryan led the scoring for the evening, dropping 14 points in the basket. Dee Prewit was high pointer for the Pipers with seven, being followed by Bill Murff and Don Adair, who each looped six.

Box score on the A tilt follows:

Hamlin—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Bill Murff, f.	1	4	6
Dee Prewit, c.	2	3	7
Don Drummond, f.	1	3	5
John Richey, g.	0	4	4
Davey Weaver, g.	1	0	2
Don Adair, f.	2	2	6
Totals	7	16	30

Seymour—

Seymour—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Billy Ryan, f.	7	0	14
Danny Ryan, f.	4	0	8
Martin, c.	1	0	2
Plummer, g.	2	0	4
Moss, g.	1	2	4
Winn, f.	4	0	8
Styles, g.	2	1	5
Totals	21	4	46

In the B encounter the junior Pipers defeated Seymour by a 30 to 24 count. B. Perryman

was high pointer for Hamlin with nine marks, and L. Foster was second, a man with six.

B game box score follows:

Hamlin B—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
L. Foster, f.	3	0	6
B. Perryman, f.	4	1	9
M. Fletcher, f.	0	2	2
C. Jenkins, c.	3	0	6
H. Martin, g.	1	1	4
Bogle, g.	1	1	3
Totals	12	5	30

Seymour B—

Seymour B—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Hamilton, f.	1	0	2
Gaylock, f.	3	2	8
Clark, c.	1	0	2
Davidson, c.	1	0	2
Machon, g.	1	1	3
Gleghorn, g.	1	3	5
Chandler, f.	1	2	4
Totals	8	10	24

DePriest Cagers Win Two from Woodson

Cagers from Hamlin's DePriest Colored School swept two basketball games from the Woodson High School teams of Abilene Tuesday night.

The Hamlin Steers won the boys' game by a 65 to 56 score, with L. Brown and F. Thompson dropping 18 points apiece through the loop for the locals. Charles Gilmore scored 12 points for the Woodson Rams, with M. L. Horn adding 10.

Hamlin took the girls' game by a 34 to 22 count as L. Haley sank 14 points for Hamlin and Shirley White scored 10 for Woodson.

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Hamlin Teams Lose Double Bill to ACC Basketballers

Hamlin High School A and B cagers lost both ends of a double bill with the Abilene Christian College High School basketballers in games played Thursday night on the floor of the new high school gymnasium here.

The Pied Piper B crew lost their curtain raising game by a 32 to 47 count. McConn of the ACC B crew went wild to rack up 17 points and lead the scoring. Charles Jenkins was high pointer for Hamlin with 10 marks.

Box score on the game follows:

Hamlin B—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
L. Foster, f.	2	1	5
B. Perryman, f.	1	0	2
C. Jenkins, c.	4	2	10
T. Bond, c.	2	2	6
H. Martin, g.	2	0	4
T. Bogle, g.	1	0	2
T. Shields, g.	1	1	3
Totals	13	6	32

ACC B—

ACC B—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Beatty, f.	4	0	8
Verett, f.	7	1	7
McConn, c.	7	3	17
Cook, g.	0	3	3
Blosser, g.	4	4	12
Fanning, f.	0	0	0
McCougher, f.	0	0	0
Curry, g.	0	0	0
Totals	18	11	47

In the second game of the evening the A stringers dropped their encounter to ACC by a 35 to 54 score. R. Pollard dominated the scoring for ACC, looping 27 points or half of the total. Don Adair was high pointer for Hamlin with 12. Ed Shields sacking eight tallies.

Box score on the game follows:

Hamlin—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Ed Shields, f.	3	2	8
Don Drummond, f.	0	1	1
Dee Prewit, c.	1	3	5
John Richey, g.	1	1	3
Davey Weaver, g.	1	2	4
Don Adair, g.	3	6	12
Don Rose, g.	1	0	2
Totals	10	15	35

ACC H. S.—

ACC H. S.—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
R. Beatty, f.	3	1	7
G. Verett, f.	1	3	5
R. Pollard, f.	8	11	27
J. Decker, c.	2	3	7
L. Smith, g.	1	3	5

Pied Pipers Defeat Albany Lions 54 to 42 In Friday Encounter

Albany High School's Lions fell victim to the Pied Piper basketballers of Hamlin Friday night in a tilt played on the new home gym floor. Final score was 54 to 42. Don Adair easily led the Pipers in 10 points during the encounter, and Dee Prewit bucketed 10. High pointer for Albany was Jerry Atwell, who looped 15 points.

Box score on the game follows:

Hamlin—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Ed Shields, f.	3	0	6
Bill Murff, f.	2	1	5
Don Drummond, f.	0	0	0
Dee Prewit, c.	5	0	10
John Richey, g.	3	3	7
Davey Weaver, g.	3	0	6
Don Adair, g.	9	2	20
Totals	24	6	54

Albany—

Albany—	Fg.	Ft.	Pts.
Ralph Boling, f.	4	0	8
Jerry Atwell, f.	5	5	15
K. Zenkner, c.	1	0	2
Glenn Macdon, g.	2	1	5
James Woodward, g.	0	2	2
Jack Eubanks, g.	3	2	8
Totals	16	10	42

WHAT'S THE DATE?

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The engineer refused the purse sadly, saying, "Gentlemen, it breaks my heart to refuse this, for I need the money, but this here is yesterday's train."

Box score on the game follows:

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Ed Shields, f.	3	2	8
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L. Smith, g.	1	3	5

Junior High Teams Win Two, Lose One Monday with Merkel

Hamlin Junior High School basketball teams won two games and dropped one when they went to Merkel Monday night.

Hamlin girls outscored Merkel 33 to 11. Linda Cavitt dropped in eight points for high point honors. The victory leaves Hamlin in a deadlock for first place in the conference with Anson.

The Hamlin Mighty Mice were outscored by Merkel, 30 to 20. Jerald McCanlies was Hamlin's high scorer with eight points. Bible of Merkel was the game's high pointer with 12 marks.

Hamlin seventh graders won their first game of the year after dropping their initial tilt last week to Albany. Jerry Duncan picked up eight points for the locals as Hamlin won by an 18 to 13 count.

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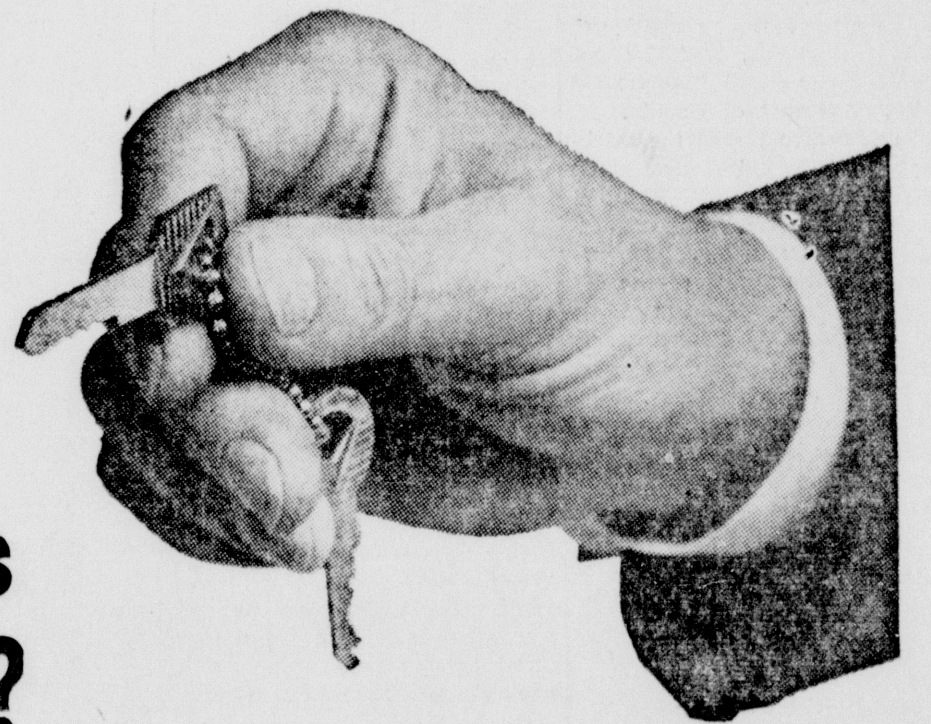
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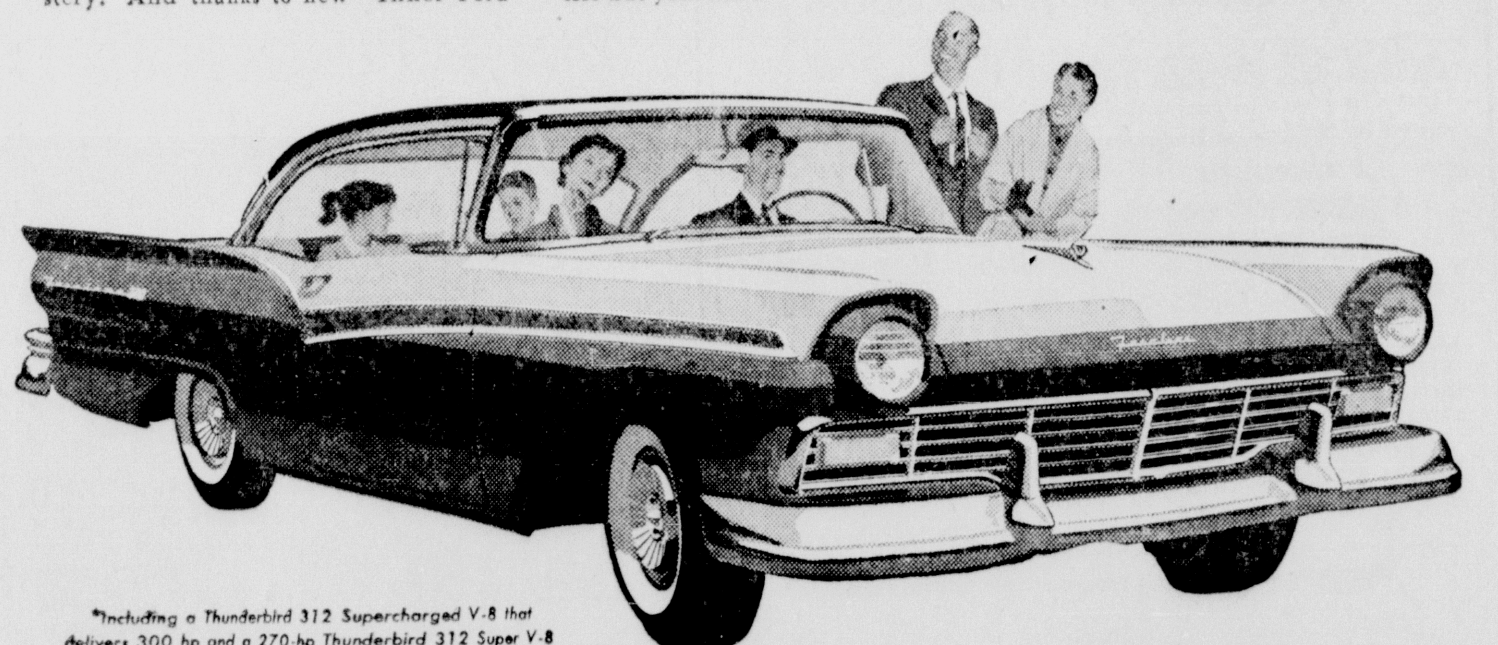
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HAMLIN MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Patients admitted to the Hamlin Memorial Hospital since last week's report in The Herald have included: Mrs. Gerald Renfro, surgery, January 3; Mrs. Terry Haight, surgery, January 4; Diane Crowley, surgery, January 4; Mrs. Roy Galloway of Aspermont, surgery, January 3; Mrs. John O'Neal, surgery, January 4; Mrs. Josephine black, medical, January 4; Gene Murff, medical, January 4; Mrs. Troy Austin, medical, January 4; Mrs. Marvin Lott of Aspermont, ob., January 4; Pete Medina, surgery, January 4; Mrs. Ira Green, medical, January 4; Mrs. G. Y. Potter, medical, January 5; Bill Matchett, medical, December 31; John Ferguson, surgery, January 6; Mrs. G. M. Bond, medical, January 5; Mary Lou Ellison, medical, January 6; Mrs. J. E. Wiggins, ob., January 6; Richie Smith, medical, January 6; Jeff Yarborough of Swenson, surgery, January 7; Charlotte Burleson, medical, January 7; Mrs. Harry Gipson of Aspermont, ob., January 8; Dorothy Nell Self of Sylvester, medical, January 8; Mrs. R. L. McClung, medical, January 8; Mrs. J. N. Hubbard, medical, January 9; Rita Coker, medical, January 9; William Cranford Jr., medical, January 9; Betty Jean Berry, medical, January 9; Mrs. Felix Marentes Sr., ob., January 10; Mrs. Billy Joe Jordan, medical, January 10; E. A. Hewitt, medical, January 10; Mrs. Rose Patterson, medical, January 10; Mrs. Roy Carmichael, January 11; Mrs. Benson Payne, medical, January 11; G. C. Adcock, medical, January 12; Kenneth Wigginton, medical, January 11; Roberta Cooper of Rotan, medical, January 12; Betty Sue Burleson, medical, January 12; Randall Crouch, medical, January 12; Dr. Joe McCrary, medical, January 11; Willard Burk, surgery, January 11; Mrs. Ray Ulmer, medical, January 11; George Raney, medical, January 12; DeGwen Sanderlin, medical, January 12; D. A. Mullins, medical, January 12; Buddy Williams of Sylvester, surgery, January 12; Mrs. W. D. Bristow, surgery, January 14; Randy Trammell of Aspermont, medical, January 13; Ritzzy Ann Stevenson of Sylvester, medical, January 14.

Patients Dismissed—Mrs. James Ray Terhune of Nashville, Tennessee, January 4; James Ray Terhune of Nashville, Tennessee, January 4; Mrs. Joe Murff, January 4; Mrs. J. H. Lightfoot of Royston, January 4; Mrs. M. L. Criswell of Aspermont, January 2; Mrs. J. W. Stapler, January 2; Hill Smith, January 2; Aretta Belle Bolden, January 3; C. P. Chestine, January 1; W. H. Cranford, January 4; Mrs. J. H. Ray of Aspermont, January 4; Mrs. L. B. Holden, January 2; Mrs. Douglas Woolf, January 3; Mrs. Nora Hopper, January 4; Milton Webb, January 7; Mrs. R. C. Ritchey, January 5; H. L. Tudor, January 1; Dianne Crowley, January 5; Mrs. Troy Austin, January 4; Bill Matchett, January 5; Mrs. Marvin Ellison, January 8; Mrs. Roy Lott of Aspermont, January 8; Mrs. I. M. Roberts of Sylvester, January 7; I. M. Roberts of Sylvester, January 6; Mrs. Gerald Renfro, January 10; Mrs. Terry Haight, January 11; Mrs. John O'Neal, January 9; John Ferguson, January 11; Mrs. G. M. Bond, January 13; Mrs. J. E. Wiggins, January 10; Richie Smith, January 8; Jeff Yarborough of Aspermont, January 9; Charlotte Burleson, January 12; Mrs. Harry Gipson of Aspermont, January 11; Dorothy Nell Self of Sylvester, January 12; Mrs. J. N. Hubbard, January 10; Rita Coker, January 13; William Cranford Jr., January 12; Mrs. Felix Marentes Sr., January 12; E. A. Hewitt, January 13; Kenneth Wigginton, January 13; Betty Sue Burleson, January 13; Randall Crouch, January 14; Dr. Joe McCrary, January 12.



LEGISLATURE OPENS—Members of the House of Representatives, including LeMayne Kelly of Afton of the 85th District of which Jones County is a part, take the oath of office in the House chamber as the fifty-fifth Legislature opened in Austin.

Hamlin and Anson Girls Play for Lead

Hamlin and Anson girls' teams will do battle for first place in the conference next Monday evening at 7:00 o'clock when Hamlin Junior High School basketball teams play host to the eagles from the county seat.

Seventh grade boys open the evening's activities at 6:00 o'clock while the eighth grade boys play at 8:00 p. m.

Both girls' teams are undefeated in conference play, while the Anson boys are undefeated and the Hamlin boys have one-and-one record.

Roberts of Sylvester, January 7; I. M. Roberts of Sylvester, January 6; Mrs. Gerald Renfro, January 10; Mrs. Terry Haight, January 11; Mrs. John O'Neal, January 9; John Ferguson, January 11; Mrs. G. M. Bond, January 13; Mrs. J. E. Wiggins, January 10; Richie Smith, January 8; Jeff Yarborough of Aspermont, January 9; Charlotte Burleson, January 12; Mrs. Harry Gipson of Aspermont, January 11; Dorothy Nell Self of Sylvester, January 12; Mrs. J. N. Hubbard, January 10; Rita Coker, January 13; William Cranford Jr., January 12; Mrs. Felix Marentes Sr., January 12; E. A. Hewitt, January 13; Kenneth Wigginton, January 13; Betty Sue Burleson, January 13; Randall Crouch, January 14; Dr. Joe McCrary, January 12.

Curly Haynes Heads Pied Piper Boosters

R. E. (Curly) Haynes was elected president of the Hamlin Pied Piper Booster Club in its annual business meeting, held Monday evening at the oil mill guest house. He succeeds Bobby Crowley.

Other officers named at the business session of the booster group were: L. E. (Gene) Prewitt, vice president; John Steele, secretary; and Gerald Young, reporter. Directors named were C. L. Howard, Duane Stalcup, Bobby Crowley and Jack Russell.

The club group made final plans for the all-district football banquet, to be staged Saturday night at the new high school gymnasium.

Hamlin Teams Play Hobbs at McCaulley

Opening games in the McCaulley Junior High School basketball tournament find McCaulley talking on both the boys' and girls' teams from Lueders this (Thursday) evening. The games will continue through Saturday.

Hamlin girls will play Hobbs in the tournament Friday evening at 6:00 o'clock, and at 7:00 p. m. the Hamlin boys engage the Hobbs boys in a first round game.

Teams entered in the tournament are from McCaulley, Hobbs, Anson, Lueders, Roby, Albany, Highland and Hamlin.

NOT PERSISTENT.

"I knew an artist who painted a cobweb so realistically that the maid spent several hours trying to get it down from the ceiling."

"I just don't believe it."

"Why not? Artists have been known to do such things."

"Yes, but not maids."

BUSINESS COMPETITION.

"Thirty dollars to paint my garage? That's outrageous! Why, I wouldn't pay Mr. Angelo that much to paint my garage!"

"Listen, you," said the painter, "if he does the job for any less, we'll come and pick up your place!"

TODAY'S DEFINITION.

Bachelor: A rolling stone who gathers no boss.

Waste of time is the most extravagant of all expenses.

Jack Downey Taking Electronics in Navy

Jack H. Downey, Navy airman, has returned to the Basic Aviation Electronics Technician School at the Naval Technical Training Center at Memphis, Tennessee, after spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Downey of Route 3, Hamlin.

Young Downey is taking the specialist course following his basic training at San Diego, California.

Willie—"I have an awful tooth-ache."

Tommy—"I'd have it taken out if it was mine."

Willie—"Yes, if it was yours, I would, too."

The small stones which fill up the crevices have almost as much to do with the fair and firm wall as the great rocks; so the wise use of spare moments contributes not a little to the building up in good proportions a man's mind.—Rev. E. Paxton Hood.

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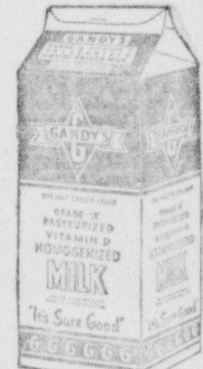
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Governor Daniel will deliver his first public address following his inauguration at the tenth annual mid-winter meeting of the Texas Press Association at Austin Saturday. His talk will be heard by Texas editors and publishers at a luncheon meeting of the TPA in the Commodore Perry Hotel.

Governor Daniel will head a list of outstanding public officials, nationally known newspaper men and prominent persons who will address the convention.

TIMELY MERCASM.

A very thin man met a very fat man in the hotel lobby. "From the looks of you," said the latter, "there might be a famine."

"Yes," was the reply, "and from the looks of you, you might have caused it."

Go as far as you can see, and when you get there you'll see farther.—Elbert Hubbard.

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● FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Two glass floor merchandise counters, \$20 each. See at The Herald. tip

FOR SALE — Maple breakfast suite; a high chair, baby bed, two plastic upholstered children's rockers. See Delbert Rountree, phone 476. 11-tfc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Overhead garage door; glass paneled; slightly used.—Virgil Steele, call 544-J3. 12-tfc

● REAL ESTATE

FARM FOR SALE—228 acres, nine miles south of Hamlin; half mile of flowing oil wells; 200 in cultivation.—Mrs. E. R. Hamlin, 1606 Tucson, phone AM 4-8964. Big Spring, Texas. 11-4c

FIVE-ROOM HOUSE for sale for cash, to be moved—Neinda Baptist parsonage, six and one-half miles south of Hamlin; frame and wood siding, ceiled inside wood, then sheetrock; size 26x35 with 26x7-foot porch; well built house; will move in good shape. Sealed bids will be taken until Saturday, February 2, at 300 p. m. Rights reserved to reject all bids. Mail bids to Neinda Baptist Church, care John L. Weaver, Hamlin, Route 1, or bring in person to Baptist Church February 2, at 3:00 p. m. 11-3c

WANT A QUIT PAYING RENT? Equity for sale in two-bedroom nearly new home; payments of \$50 per month already set up at low interest; house is on three blocks of land, including corner lot. Apply at The Herald office. tip

Charlottes at The Herald.

● Miscellaneous

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J. S. DEAN, General Contractor and Builder; residential or commercial; concrete work and repairs.—Telephone 754. 2-tfc

● LOST and FOUND

FOUND—Set of Lincoln and Mercury car keys. Call F. & M. National Bank. 1c

● FOR RENT

FOR RENT — Furnished apartments.—Mrs. Max Touchon, telephone 302-J. 9-4c

FOR RENT — 4½-room farm home.—J. C. Lain, call 317-W3, Hamlin. 11-tfc

FOR RENT—Four-room and bath furnished upstairs apartment.—Victoria Courts. 11-tfc

BEDROOM—Combination living-bedroom, bath and kitchen; beautifully furnished; fully air conditioned.—128 Northwest Avenue H, Hamlin. 1c

FOR RENT—Unfurnished duplex, three rooms with bath.—B. C. May, phone 39-W. 12-tfc

FOR RENT—Furnished two-room house. — 353 Southwest Third Street. 12-2c

● CARD OF THANKS

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During our recent sorrow in the passing of our loved one, John Thomas Cunningham, we were made to more appreciate our good friends, who ministered in so many ways with acts of kindness, expressions of sympathy and flowers. We shall not forget these manifestations of friendship and love. That you may have just such good friends near you when sorrow is your lot is the prayer of the family of J. T. Cunningham. 1p

CARD OF THANKS

We are so grateful for the many expressions of concern by friends during the recent illness and operation of Mrs. O'Neal. The flowers, gifts and cards were appreciated. We want to thank the doctors, nurses and hospital staff for their attention.—Mr. and Mrs. John M. O'Neal of O'Neal's Laundry. 1c



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Funeral Rites for J. T. Cunningham Conducted Friday

Funeral services for a retired grocery merchant of Roby, John Thomas Cunningham, were conducted Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at the Hamlin First Baptist Church. Rev. Calvin Bailey, pastor, assisted by Rev. Darris L. Egger, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiated.

The 80-year-old man, who had made his home in Hamlin the last six years, died at the family residence, 136 North Central Avenue, Thursday afternoon. He had been ill for about five years.

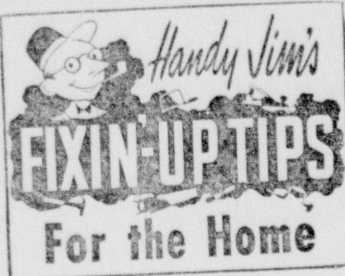
Born October 20, 1876, in Lampasas County, he was the son of J. T. and Sarah Cunningham. He married the former Virginia Clay in Mason County on December 15, 1897. The couple came to West Texas many years ago, and he operated a grocery store in Roby until a few years ago, when he retired. He was a member of the Baptist Church.

Burial was in the Hamlin East Cemetery under the direction of Hamlin Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Edgar Duncan, John Hines, W. R. Townsend, L. B. Baker, Ira Clements and J. C. Turner Jr.

Surviving the octogenarian are his wife, Mrs. Virginia Cunningham; one son, Louie J. Cunningham of Hamlin; one daughter, Mrs. Elmer (Arline) Hawkins of Hamlin; two brothers, Will Cunningham of Fredonia and Joe Cunningham of Brady; one sister, Mrs. Jim Johnston of Jayton; six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

The only walled city of North America is at Quebec, Canada.

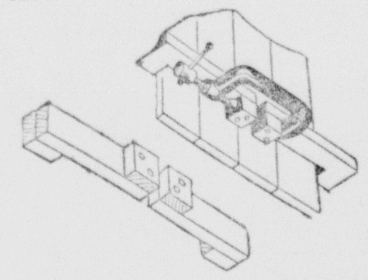
The Thousand Islands are located in the St. Lawrence River.



Bar Clamp Substitute

WHEN the home workshop operator needs bar clamps but has only C-clamps, he can quickly put together improvised wooden extensions which will allow him to use ones he has available, according to *Popular Mechanics*.

The extensions may be made in either of the two ways illustrated. In the upper view is a



type consisting of L-shaped wooden blocks. C-clamps are applied to wood blocks nailed to the sides of the straight ends.

The second type, shown below, is made from straight pieces of stock with blocks nailed on the opposite sides at the ends. Either type can be kept on hand for future use.

New Grain Sorghum Hybrids Available

Seven grain sorghum hybrids, developed cooperatively by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the U. S. Department of Agriculture, will be available to farmers for planting in 1957.

These hybrids are the result of research work which began in 1921 and are the first practical hybrids to be released from these studies. They are RS 390, Texas 601, RS 610, Texas 611, Texas 620, RS 650 and Texas 660.

F. & M. Bank Adds Two Directors at Annual Meeting

Officers of the Farmers and Merchants National Bank of Hamlin reported a good business during 1956, considering the drought conditions, when stockholders of the institution met Tuesday of last week in annual business session.

Stockholders elected the following directors: J. B. Davenport, W. J. Bryant, Lennie Greenway, W. C. Russell, Earl E. Smith, Tate May and W. T. Johnson. They voted to increase the number of directors from five to seven, and Earl E. Smith and W. T. Johnson were the new directors added to the board.

Following the stockholders' session, the directors met and elected the following officers and employees: Tate May, president; W. C. Russell, active vice president; Lennie Greenway, vice president and cashier; Earl E. Smith, vice president; Buna Rountree, assistant cashier; Joe E. Ford, assistant cashier; Faye Atkinson, secretary; Lillie Yates, teller; Jo Ann Johnson Ford, IBM operator; LaFoy Patterson, manager bookkeeping department; Marvane Newberry, bookkeeper; Eutie Lee Bunkley Jones, bookkeeper; Joye Bingham Cary, bookkeeper.

Earl E. Smith was born in Hamlin in 1924, attended schools in Hamlin and after graduating from high school began working for the bank in January, 1942. During World War II he was in the U. S. Air Force. Upon his return from service he returned to the bank. He has served the bank as bookkeeper, teller, assistant cashier and was elected vice president in January, 1954, and is now an active loan officer. Earl is married, has one daughter, Mary Louise, 15 years of age, and one son, George, 10 years of age. Earl is an active member of the First Baptist Church, member of the Rotary Club and a member of the City Planning Board. At the present time he is a senior in the School of Banking of the South at Louisiana State University, and will graduate the summer term, 1957.

W. T. Johnson is a native of Hamlin, attended Hamlin High School and upon graduating attended Louisiana State University at Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, and was graduated from Hardin-Simmons in 1951 with a

Funeral Home to Give MOD Ambulance Fee

Hamlin Funeral Home in Hamlin will contribute receipts from two days of ambulance service to the Jones County March of Dimes, H. J. Zeigler of Fort Worth, president of the Texas Funeral Directors and Embalmers Association, announced this week.

Donations of receipts collected on January 18 and 19 was approved unanimously by the board of directors of the association. Edward A. McGuire of Beaumont, executive secretary of the association said, and most association members will participate.

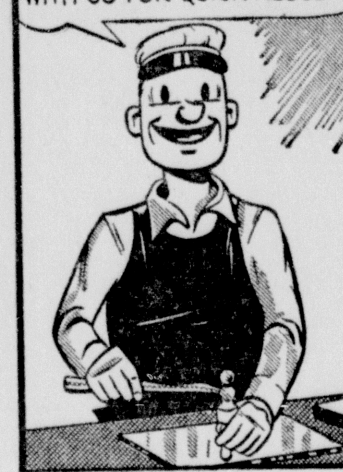
The English Channel lies between Great Britain and France.

If you can't look on the bright side of trouble, keep it in the dark.

bachelor of business administration degree. During World War II W. T. served in finance, with the fiscal office of the Eighth Army headquarters. He worked for the bank some prior to entering military service. Upon his return he was engaged in farming and elevator business with his father-in-law, L. H. McBride. He was employed in 1951 by the bank as assistant cashier and is now vice president, serving in the loan department. W. T. is an active member of the First Methodist Church, a member and past president of the Lions Club, and member of other civic organizations of the city. He is married, has one daughter and two sons.

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Claim Only Income Tax Paid in Returns. Tax Man Sam Says

Most of us have our income tax withheld from our salaries by our employers during the year and like it that way, points out Tax Man Sam in a release to The Herald. Some of us, however, pay income tax through quarterly payments.

Folks who pay their income tax through quarterly payments often make a very common error. In filing their tax return, they claim to have paid four quarterly payments on their tax when actually have paid only three payments and are filing their tax returns and paying the tax instead of making the fourth payment.

If you paid estimated tax during the year, be sure to claim only

STRENGTHENING DUE.
The prospective buyer for a new home commented to the builder: "These walls certainly don't look very sturdy."
"Of course not," said the builder. "We haven't put on the wall-paper yet."

January River is the English meaning of Rio de Janeiro.

The Republic of Andorra is in the eastern Pyrenees, between Spain and France.

the tax you have paid, Sam advises.

Delegating a job is about the most difficult thing a business man does.

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Notice of Hearing on Petition to Issue Bonds of Road District No. 1 of County

The State of Texas, County of Jones:
To the resident qualified electors of Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, who own taxable property in said district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation:

Take notice that a hearing will be had at the courthouse in the City of Anson, Texas, on a petition to the Commissioners Court on the proposition of issuing the bonds of Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, in the principal sum of \$60,000.00, as more particularly set out in the order fixing the hearing as follows:

AN ORDER
Fixing the time and place of hearing on the petition for the issuance of bonds by Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas.

Whereas, there came on to be considered the petition of J. S. Inzer, and more than 50 other persons, representing themselves to be resident, qualified electors of Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, who own taxable property in said district and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, praying that this court order an election in Road District No. 1 of Jones County to determine:

"Whether or not the bonds of said Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, shall be issued in an amount not to exceed \$60,000.00, bearing interest at the rate not to exceed four (4%) per cent per annum, and maturing at such time as may be fixed by the Commissioners Court serially or otherwise in not to exceed fifteen (15) years from the date thereof for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof throughout Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, including particularly the purchase of right-of-way, and whether or not taxes shall be levied annually on all taxable property in said Road District sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds to provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at their maturities."

Whereas, it appears to the Court and is so adjudged that said petition is signed by the required number of qualified electors who own taxable property in Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation; and

Whereas, said Road District No. 1 of Jones County, Texas, was heretofore created by order of the Commissioners Court, duly entered on the 1st day of April, 1924, in which order is of record in the minutes of the Commissioners Court in volume 7 on page 239:

Be it ordered by the Commissioners Court of Jones County, Texas:

1. That a hearing shall be had by this court at the courthouse in the City of Anson, Texas, on said petition on the 25th day of January, 1957, which date is not less than 15 days nor more than 30 days from the date of this order.
2. The clerk of said court shall forthwith issue a notice of time and place of hearing which notice shall inform all persons concerned of the time and place of hearing and of their right to appear at such hearing and contend for or protest the ordering of such bond election.
3. That said notice shall state the amount of bonds proposed to be issued and shall describe the district by its number and shall describe the boundaries thereof as contained in the order establishing the district.
4. The clerk shall execute said notice, posting true copies thereof at three public places within said Road District No. 1 of Jones County, and one at the courthouse of the county. Said notice shall be posted at least 10 days prior to the date of hearing. Said notice shall also be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the district if a newspaper is published therein, one time, and at least five days prior to such hearing. If no newspaper is published in such district then such notice shall be published in some newspaper in the county if there be one. The duties herein imposed on the clerk may be performed by the clerk in person or by a deputy.
5. Said hearing shall be conducted under the provisions of Chapter 16, Acts of the first called session of the Thirty-Ninth Legislature.
6. The metes and bounds of Road District No. 1 of Jones County, as created by the Commissioners Court on the 1st day of April, 1924, are as follows, to-wit:

Beginning in said Jones County, Texas, at a point in the west boundary line of said Jones County, Texas, where the north boundary line of League No. 358 to the northeast corner of said League No. 358, and the northwest corner of League No. 335 in the name of Louis Kratz, continuing in the same direction and along the north boundary line of said League No. 335 to the northeast corner of said League No. 335;

Thence in a northerly direction and along the north boundary line of said League No. 358 to the northeast corner of said League No. 358, and the northwest corner of League No. 335 in the name of Louis Kratz, continuing in the same direction and along the north boundary line of said League No. 335 to the northeast corner of said League No. 335;

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Thence in a northerly direction and along the north boundary line of said League No. 358 to the northeast corner of said League No. 358, and the northwest corner of League No. 335 in the name of Louis Kratz, continuing in the same direction and along the north boundary line of said League No. 335 to the northeast corner of said League No. 335;

west corner of Survey No. 8 of the G. H. & H. Railway Company land;

Thence east with the north boundary line of said survey No. 8 to the southwest corner of Survey No. 7 of the G. H. & H. Railway Company land;

Thence north with the west boundary line of said Survey No. 7 to its northwest corner;

Thence east along the north boundary line of said Section No. 7 to its northeast corner continuing east along the north lines of Sections Nos. 95, 74, 65, 46 and 37 of the B. B. B. & C. Railway Company lands and to the northeast corner of said Section No. 37;

Thence south with the east boundary line of said Section No. 37, B. B. B. & C. Railway Company land to its southeast corner, continuing south along the east boundary line of Section No. 38 of the B. B. B. & C. Railway Company land to a point in said line and same being the southwest corner of Section No. 13 in Block No. 4 of the H. & T. C. Railway Company land;

Thence east along the south boundary line of said Section No. 13 to the southeast corner of said Section No. 13 and the northeast corner of Section No. 14 of the H. & T. C. Railway Company land, Block No. 4;

Thence north along the east boundary line of said Section No. 13 to a point in said line, the same being the southwest corner of the J. M. Long Survey No. 3;

Thence east along the south boundary line of said J. M. Long Survey No. 3 to a point in the west boundary line of Section No. 34 of the Deaf and Dumb Asylum lands, the same being the southwest corner of said J. M. Long Survey;

Thence south along the west boundary line of said Section No. 34 of the Deaf and Dumb Asylum lands to the southwest corner of said Section No. 34, and the northwest corner of Section No. 51 of the said Deaf and Dumb Asylum lands;

Thence east along the south boundary line of said Section No. 51 to the southeast corner of said Section No. 51, and the northeast corner of Section No. 43;

Thence south along the east boundary line of said Section No. 43 to its southeast corner and the northeast corner of Section No. 5 of the Orphan Asylum lands continuing along the east boundary line of said Section No. 5 to the southwest corner of Section No. 21 of the H. & T. C. Railway Company land;

Thence east along the south line of said Section No. 21 passing the northwest corner of Survey No. 8 in the name of Rufus Grimes and continuing east with and along the north boundary line of said Rufus Grimes Survey No. 8 to its northeast corner;

Thence south along the east boundary line of said Survey No. 8 Rufus Grimes to its uppermost southeast corner, and same being its most easterly southeast corner and the southwest corner of Survey No. 7 in the name of Mrs. L. Matthews (Louisa Matthews);

Thence east along the south boundary line of the Louisa Matthews Survey No. 7 to its southeast corner and the northeast corner of the northeast corner of Mrs. F. M. Smythe Survey No. 3;

Thence south along the east line of said Survey No. 3 in the name of Mrs. F. M. Smythe, and Section No. 2 in the name of Elizabeth C. Miller to a point in said Miller Survey No. 2 opposite and directly west of the southwest corner of the Napoleon Scott Survey No. 15;

Thence east across the C. & M. Railway Company Survey No. 1 to the southwest corner of said Scott Survey No. 15, continuing east and along the south boundary line of said Survey No. 15, and the north boundary line of Survey No. 14 in the name of William Smith to a point on said line, the same being the lower southwest corner of Survey No. 214 of the E. T. Railway Company land;

Thence north with the west boundary line of said Survey No. 214 to its northwest corner;

Thence east along the north boundary line of said Survey No. 214 to the east boundary line of Jones County, Texas;

Thence north with the east boundary line of Jones County, Texas, and the west boundary line of Shackelford County, Texas, to the northeast corner of said Jones County, Texas;

Thence west with the north boundary line of Jones County, Texas, to the place of beginning, it being the intention to include in the boundaries of this district all of that part of Jones County, Texas, lying north of the north boundary line of Road District No. 18-B, Jones County, Texas, and the north boundary line of said Road District No. 18-B shall be the south boundary line of this district.

Passed and approved this 9th day of January, 1957.—H. G. Andrews Jr., County Judge, Jones County, Texas, Attest: Gene Spurgeon Jr., County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Commissioners Court, Jones County, Texas.

Charter No. 12700 Reserve District No. 11

Report of the Condition of the Farmers & Merchants National Bank of Hamlin, Texas

At the close of business on December 31, 1956, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$1,233,228.45
United States government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,526,579.14
Obligations of states and political subdivisions	261,526.82
Other bonds, notes and debentures	224,375.00
Corporate stocks (including \$6,000,000 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	6,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$9,462.52 overdrafts)	1,665,482.77
Bank premises owned	\$15,200.00
Furniture and fixtures	29,200.00
Real estate owned other than bank premises	3,023.42
Other assets	12,892.59
Total assets	\$4,962,308.19

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	\$4,013,628.59
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	95,642.61
Deposits of United States government (including postal savings)	65,867.83
Deposits of states and political subdivisions	414,711.30
Other deposits (including cashier's checks, etc.)	25,011.72
Total deposits	\$4,614,862.05
Total liabilities	\$4,614,862.05

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital stock	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	140,487.59
Reserves and retirement account for preferred stock	6,958.55
Total capital accounts	347,446.14
Total liabilities and capital accounts	4,962,308.19

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	\$ 526,000.00
Loans to farmers directly guaranteed and redeemable on demand by the Commodity Credit Corporation, and certificates of interest representing ownership thereof	303,132.96
Real estate loans insured under Titles II, VI and VIII of the National Housing Act	32,800.00
Federal Housing Administration Title I repair and modernization installment loans, to the extent covered by insurance reserves	34,160.00
Total amount of loans, certificates of interest and obligations or portions thereof which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States government (other than "United States government obligations, direct and guaranteed")	896,092.96

I, Lennie Greenway, vice president and cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief—Lennie Greenway, Vice President and Cashier.

Correct—Attest: W. C. Russell, Tate May, J. B. Davenport, Directors.

State of Texas, County of Jones: Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of January, 1957, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.—J. C. Turner, Notary Public, Jones County, Texas. (My commission expires June 1, 1957).

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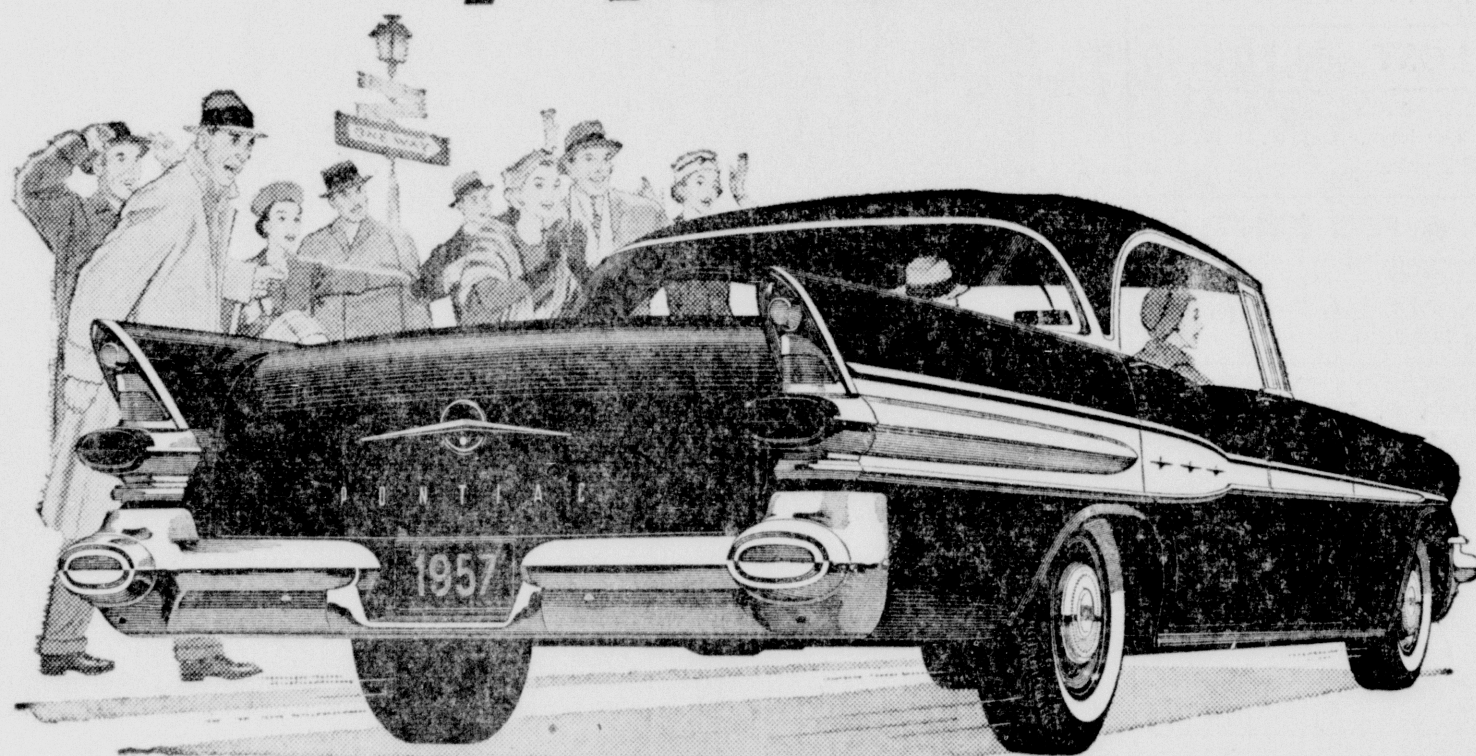
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